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THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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1 **[There is no reportable action as a result of the**
2 **Board of Supervisors' closed session held today.]**

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6 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THE JANUARY 20TH MEETING OF THE LOS
7 ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WILL BEGIN. FIRST WILL BE
8 LED IN PRAYER BY PASTOR CHRIS PONNET, ST. CAMILLUS CENTER FOR
9 SPIRITUAL CARE AND DIRECTOR OF SPIRITUAL CARE AT THE LAC+USC
10 MEDICAL CENTER. OUR PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WILL BE LED BY DAVID
11 WILLIAM TAGGART, JR., FORMER SPECIALIST UNITED STATES ARMY.
12 PASTOR?

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14 **FR. CHRIS PONNET:** MAY WE TAKE A MOMENT OF SILENCE IN THE
15 PRESENCE OF THE DIVINE? SOURCE OF HOPE, CONTINUE TO INSPIRE
16 OUR SUPERVISORS AND THEIR STAFF WITH THE DESIRE IN THEIR
17 HEARTS TO CONTINUE TO DELIBERATE WITH ACTION THAT HELP ALL WHO
18 CALL LOS ANGELES HOME. TODAY AS WE RETURN TO THIS CHAMBER TO
19 CONTINUE THE WORK OF REVEREND DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR., WHO
20 IN 1967 SAID, "IT ALL BOILS DOWN TO THIS: THAT LIFE IS
21 INTERRELATED. WE ARE ALL CAUGHT IN THE INESCAPABLE NETWORK OF
22 MUTUALITY, TIED INTO A SINGLE GARMENT OF DESTINY. ". SOURCE OF
23 PEACE, YOU MARCHED WITH YOUR PEOPLE FROM ISRAEL INTO THE
24 PROMISED LAND WITH MAHATMA GANDHI TO THE SALT MINES OF INDIA
25 AND REVEREND MARTIN LUTHER KING INTO SELMA AND OUR NATIONAL

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1 CAPITAL. LOS ANGELES OFTEN HOSTS MARCHES ON IMMIGRATION AND
2 HUMAN RIGHTS, THIS WEEKEND THERE WAS A MARCH FOR LIFE AND
3 YESTERDAY A MARCH TO LEIMERT PARK FOR JUSTICE. SOURCE OF
4 PEACE, CONTINUE TO GUIDE US IN OUR MARCHING TOWARD JUSTICE. AS
5 WE AS A COMMUNITY CONTINUE TO REMEMBER THOSE HEROES OF OUR
6 COMMUNITY, RABBI LEONARD BEERMAN AND DR. MAHER HATHOUT WE ARE
7 REMINDED THAT WE ARE ALL CALLED TO A PLACE OF NONVIOLENCE IN
8 OUR WORLD. SOURCE OF WISDOM, MAY OUR HOMES, OUR NEIGHBORHOODS
9 AND OUR BELOVED COUNTY BE A PLACE OF AFFIRMATION AS ONE OF THE
10 CHAPLAINS AT LAC+USC MEDICAL CENTER WE DAILY WALK AND
11 ACCOMPANY PEOPLE IN OUR COUNTY WITH MEDICAL AND OTHER NEEDS.
12 WE ARE THERE TO LISTEN, TO AFFIRM AND TO INVITE DEEPER
13 REFLECTION. AND AS POPE FRANCIS SAID THIS WEEKEND, "WE AS A
14 WORLD NEED TO LEARN HOW TO CRY WITH THE POOR OR THE HUNGRY AND
15 THE ABANDONED." AND SO, GRACIOUS ONE, MAY THIS CHAMBER BE A
16 SOURCE OF DEEPER REFLECTION SO THAT DECISIONS WILL HELP THE
17 MOST VULNERABLE SINCE WE ARE ALL TIED INTO A SINGLE GARMENT OF
18 DESTINY. BLESSINGS.

19

20 **DAVID W. TAGGART, JR.:** PLEASE CONTINUE STANDING FOR THE PLEDGE
21 OF ALLEGIANCE. PLACE YOUR HAND OVER YOUR HEART AND FACE THE
22 FLAG. [PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE RECITED.]

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24 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

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1 **SUP. SOLIS:** THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT TO PASTOR
2 CHRIS PONNET THIS BOARD PRESENTATION THIS AFTERNOON. I WANT TO
3 THANK HIM FOR LEADING THE INVOCATION TODAY. I WANT TO NOTE
4 THAT PASTOR CHRIS WAS BORN AND RAISED IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA,
5 IN TEMPLE CITY. HE CURRENTLY SERVES, AS YOU KNOW, AS DIRECTOR
6 OF SPIRITUAL CARE AT THE LAC+USC MEDICAL CENTER AND IS PASTOR
7 AT ST. CAMILLUS CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL CARE. BEYOND HIS ROLE AS
8 RELIGIOUS LEADER, PASTOR CHRIS HAS ENGAGED IN CIVIL
9 DISOBEDIENCE DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST SOCIAL INJUSTICE. HE HAS
10 SPOKEN NATIONALLY AND LOCALLY ON HIV AND AIDS, THE DEATH
11 PENALTY, AND SOCIAL JUSTICE. HE HAS ALSO SERVED AS A
12 REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE L.G.B.T. ISSUES HOSTING THE GAY AND
13 LESBIAN MINISTRY OF THE ARCHDIOCESE AT ST. CAMILLIUS. THANK
14 YOU SO MUCH, PASTOR. [APPLAUSE.]

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16 **SUP. KNABE:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS, IF I COULD JUST ADD, OF HIS MANY
17 ACCOMPLISHMENTS, ONE THAT I HAVE MOST INTIMATELY BEEN INVOLVED
18 IN IS EACH AND EVERY YEAR, HE LEADS A SERVICE FOR THE MASS
19 BURIAL FOR THOSE IN OUR COUNTY THAT HAVE NO ONE ELSE THAT WE
20 DO. I'VE BEEN A MEMBER OF HIS TEAM FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS NOW.
21 THANK YOU FOR THAT. THAT'S A VERY SPECIAL SERVICE. AND HE
22 EXPANDED THAT PROGRAM TO WHERE IT'S A VERY MOVING EXPERIENCE.
23 I THINK EVEN THE PRESS IS PAYING ATTENTION, FINALLY, TO THOSE.
24 THIS YEAR WE BURIED 1,482 INDIVIDUALS WHO HAD NO ONE ELSE TO
25 CLAIM THEM. SO THANK YOU. [APPLAUSE.]

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2 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** I WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE DAVID
3 WILLIAM TAGGART, JR., RESIDENT OF ALHAMBRA, SERVED THE UNITED
4 STATES ARMY. HE SERVED IN AFGHANISTAN. HE WAS IN THE ARMY
5 BETWEEN 2009, 2004, OBTAINED THE RANK OF SPECIALIST. HE
6 OBTAINED THE AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN MEDAL WITH THREE CAMPAIGN
7 STARS, THE ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL, THE NATO MEDAL, THE ARMY
8 GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL AND THE NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL, THE
9 GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE MEDAL, THE ARMY OF SERVICE
10 RIBBON, OVERSEAS RIBBON, SECOND AWARD COMBAT ACTION BADGE AND
11 HE IS MARRIED WITH TWO CHILDREN. ATTENDING SCHOOL AT GLENDALE
12 COMMUNITY COLLEGE. GRADUATED ALHAMBRA HIGH SCHOOL, THE
13 FIGHTING MATADORS. SO THANK YOU FOR COMING DOWN AND LEADING
14 US. [APPLAUSE.]

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16 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** GOOD AFTERNOON, MR. MAYOR
17 AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD. WE WILL BEGIN ON PAGE 4 FOR THE
18 AGENDA OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION. ITEM 1-D, A
19 MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC REQUESTED THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON PAGE
20 5, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, ITEMS 1-8. ON ITEM 1, SUPERVISOR
21 SOLIS REQUESTS THAT THE APPOINTMENT OF HELEN HERNANDEZ TO THE
22 ARTS COMMISSION BE REFERRED BACK TO HER OFFICE AND THIS ALSO
23 INCLUDES THE ADDITIONS AND POSTED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA.
24 ON ITEM NO. 3, A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM
25 BE HELD. ON ITEM NO. 6, SUPERVISOR SOLIS AND A MEMBER OF THE

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1 PUBLIC REQUEST THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON ITEM NO. 8, A MEMBER
2 OF THE PUBLIC REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. AND THE
3 REMAINING ITEMS UNDER THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ARE BEFORE YOU.

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5 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. MOTION BY SUPERVISOR KUEHL.
6 SECOND WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.

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8 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** ON PAGE 7, CONSENT
9 CALENDAR, ITEMS 9-36. ON ITEM NO. 11, A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC
10 REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON ITEM NO. 12, MEMBERS OF
11 THE PUBLIC REQUEST THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. AND ON ITEM NO. 13,
12 THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM
13 BE REFERRED BACK TO THE DEPARTMENT. ON ITEM NO. 14, A MEMBER
14 OF THE PUBLIC REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON ITEM 15, THE
15 DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE
16 CONTINUED ONE WEEK TO JANUARY 27, 2015. ON ITEM NO. 19,
17 SUPERVISOR KUEHL REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED ONE WEEK
18 TO JANUARY 27, 2015. ON ITEM NO. 20, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC
19 REQUEST THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON ITEM NO. 23, MEMBERS OF THE
20 PUBLIC REQUEST THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. AND ON ITEMS 27 AND 28,
21 A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC REQUESTS THAT THESE ITEMS BE HELD. ON
22 ITEM 29, THE SHERIFF REQUESTS THAT THIS BE CONTINUED ONE WEEK
23 TO JANUARY 27, 2015. THAT WAS ITEM 29. ON ITEM NO. 32, THE
24 SHERIFF ALSO REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED ONE WEEK TO

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1 JANUARY 27, 2015. AND THE REMAINING ITEMS UNDER THE CONSENT
2 CALENDAR ARE BEFORE YOU.

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4 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. A MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MARK
5 RIDLEY-THOMAS. SECOND WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.

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7 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** ON PAGE 22, ORDINANCE FOR
8 INTRODUCTION, ITEM NO. 37. I'LL READ IN THE SHORT TITLE FOR
9 THE RECORD. THIS IS AN ORDINANCE FOR INTRODUCTION AMENDING
10 COUNTY CODE TITLE 6, SALARIES, BY ADDING, DELETING AND
11 CHANGING CERTAIN CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMBERS OF ORDINANCE
12 POSITIONS IN VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS. AND ON THIS ITEM, A MEMBER
13 OF THE PUBLIC ALSO REQUESTS THAT IT BE HELD. ON ITEM NO. 38,
14 THE INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REQUESTS THAT ITEM BE
15 CONTINUED THREE WEEKS TO FEBRUARY 10, 2015. AND THIS IS ON
16 PAGE 23 UNDER SEPARATE MATTERS. ON ITEM 39, A MEMBER OF THE
17 PUBLIC REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. AND ITEM 40 IS BEFORE
18 YOU.

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20 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. MOTION BY SUPERVISOR DON KNABE.
21 SECONDED WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.

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23 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** ON PAGE 24, DISCUSSION
24 ITEMS, ITEM 41, THE INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REQUESTS
25 THAT THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED TO MARCH 31, 2015.

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2 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MOTION BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS, OF SECOND,
3 WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.

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5 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** ON PAGE 25, MISCELLANEOUS
6 ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA WHICH WERE POSTED MORE THAN 72 HOURS
7 IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING AS INDICATED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL
8 AGENDA. ON ITEM 42-A MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC REQUEST THAT THIS
9 ITEM BE HELD AND ITEM 42-B, SUPERVISOR KNABE REQUESTS THAT
10 THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED ONE WEEK TO JANUARY 27, 2015. AND ON
11 PAGE 29, CLOSED SESSION. ON ITEM CS-1, A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC
12 REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. AND THAT COMPLETES THE
13 READING OF THE AGENDA. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SPECIAL ITEMS
14 BEGIN WITH SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT NO. 1. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

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16 **SUP. SOLIS:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR. THIS MORNING, MEMBERS, I'D
17 LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CALL UP LIZETTE SALAS. MRS.
18 SALAS IS FROM THE CITY OF AZUSA AND IS A CHAMPION ON THE
19 LADIES PROFESSIONAL GOLFERS ASSOCIATION, THE L.P.G.A. TOUR.
20 THE YOUNGEST DAUGHTER OF MEXICAN IMMIGRANTS FROM ZACATECAS,
21 LIZETTE'S RISE OF PROMINENCE IN THE WORLD OF GOLF IS A SOURCE
22 OF PRIDE FOR HER FAMILY AND OUR LATINO COMMUNITY. SHE IS
23 CURRENTLY RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF THE TOP 25 FEMALE GOLFERS IN
24 THE WORLD BY ROLEX RANKINGS. LIZETTE GRADUATED FROM THE
25 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND AS MEMBER OF THE U.S.C.

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1 WOMEN'S GOLF TEAM, SHE WAS THEIR ONLY FOUR-TIME ALL-AMERICAN
2 U.S.C. ATHLETE IN ANY SPORT. SHE WAS ALSO A TWO-TIME PAC TEN
3 PLAYER OF THE YEAR IN 2009 AND 2011. LIZETTE WON HER FIRST
4 L.P.G.A. TOURNAMENT MAY 17, 2014 AT THE L.P.G.A . KINGSMILL
5 CHAMPIONSHIP IN WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA AND WAS ONE OF THE 10
6 U.S. L.P.G.A. GOLFERS TO QUALIFY TO COMPETE IN THE UNITED
7 STATES SOLHEIM CUP TEAM AGAINST THE EUROPEAN TEAM IN 2013.
8 [APPLAUSE.] LIZETTE SHARES HER PASSION FOR GOLF WITH THE YOUTH
9 OF HER COMMUNITY BY VOLUNTEERING WITH THE SAN GABRIEL JUNIOR
10 GOLF PROGRAM WHICH WAS FOUNDED BY HER FATHER WHO IS HERE ALSO
11 WITH US, WHO ALSO HAPPENED TO BE HER COACH WHEN SHE FIRST
12 STARTED GOLFING. SHE SERVES AS A BOARD CHAIR NOW FOR AN
13 ORGANIZATION THAT THEY PUT TOGETHER, KNOWN AS THE SAN GABRIEL
14 JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM AND SHE IS THE BOARD CHAIR AND ONE OF THE
15 INSTRUCTORS IN THE PROGRAM. SHE IS THE FIRST MEXICAN AMERICAN
16 ON THE L.P.G.A. TOUR SINCE GOLF LEGEND NANCY LOPEZ AND IS A
17 ROLE MODEL TO EVERY YOUNG LATINA ASPIRING TO BECOME A
18 PROFESSIONAL GOLFER, THAT INCLUDES ME, BECAUSE I DON'T GOLF;
19 HOWEVER, I KNOW WHO I CAN GO TO FOR A LESSON. THIS WEEKEND,
20 SHE IS BEING GIVEN THE "BREAKING THE GLASS CEILING" AWARD BY
21 THE LATINA GOLFERS ASSOCIATION, WHO RECOGNIZES LATINAS THAT
22 ARE MAKING AN IMPACT IN THEIR COMMUNITIES AND IN THEIR
23 PROFESSIONAL CAREERS. ON BEHALF OF THE L.A. COUNTY BOARD OF
24 SUPERVISORS, WE'D LIKE TO PRESENT THIS TO YOU, LIZETTE SALAS,
25 FOR YOUR OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP AND COMMITMENT TO OUR

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1 COMMUNITY AND FOR SERVING US SO PROUDLY. THANK YOU.

2 [APPLAUSE.]

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4 **LIZETTE SALAS:** HELLO, EVERYONE. I JUST WANT TO THANK THE
5 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, SUPERVISORS, EVERYONE HERE TODAY FOR
6 THIS AMAZING HONOR. I'M SHAKING I'M SO NERVOUS. I'VE LIVED IN
7 THE COUNTY OF L.A. ALL MY LIFE. I WENT TO SCHOOL DOWN THE ROAD
8 AT U.S.C. I'M VERY PROUD TO REPRESENT NOT ONLY MY CITY OF
9 AZUSA, MY FAMILY, BUT ALSO THE COUNTY OF L.A. THIS STATE, THIS
10 COUNTY HAS MADE ME WHO I AM TODAY AND HOPEFULLY WE'LL HAVE
11 MORE GIRLS FROM THE L.A. COUNTY ON THE L.P.G.A. TOUR AND
12 WINNING CHAMPIONSHIPS. SO THANK YOU SO MUCH.

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14 **SUP. SOLIS:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR. I HAVE ANOTHER PRESENTATION
15 TO MAKE. AND I'M PROUD TODAY TO ASK MEMBERS OF THE VET HUNTERS
16 GROUP TO COME FORWARD. [APPLAUSE.] TODAY I HAVE THE PLEASURE
17 OF RECOGNIZING A VERY INSPIRATIONAL ORGANIZATION WHOSE MEMBERS
18 HAVE COMMITTED TO PREVENTING AND ENDING HOMELESSNESS FOR
19 MILITARY VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES. VET HUNTERS HAS PROVIDED
20 SHELTER, MEALS AND CLOTHES AND JOB TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR
21 HOMELESS VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES. STARTED BY THE
22 ASPIRATIONS OF ONE SOLDIER STANDING HERE NEXT TO ME, JOE LEAL,
23 ARMY COMBAT VETERAN FROM THE SOUTH OMANI 155TH COMBAT SUPPORT
24 SUSTAINMENT BATTALION, HE FORMED A COALITION OF PRIOR SERVICE
25 MEMBERS TO PULL HOMELESS VETERANS OUT OF THE SHADOWS AND INTO

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1 THE SHELTERS. THE VET HUNTERS TOGETHER AS ONE FAMILY CONTINUE
2 TO FIGHT AND PROVIDE FOR OUR VETERANS WHO HAVE FOUGHT BRAVELY
3 ACROSS THE SEAS FOR THE PRESERVATION OF OUR COUNTRY AND OUR
4 VALUES. GUIDED BY THEIR LOVE FOR THEIR FELLOW SOLDIERS, THE
5 VET HUNTERS HAVE MADE IT THEIR PRIORITY TO OUTREACH TO
6 VETERANS AT ANY LENGTH AT ANY PLACE AT ANY TIME ON ANY DAY.
7 DURING THE HOLIDAYS, I HAD THE PLEASURE OF SERVING MEALS
8 ALONGSIDE THEIR STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS OF VET HUNTERS ON SKID
9 ROW. SEEING VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES ENJOY A GOOD MEAL IS
10 HEARTWARMING AND REMINDS THAT OF MORE NEEDS TO BE DONE FOR THE
11 VETERAN COMMUNITY. IT IS GROUPS LIKE THE VET HUNTERS THAT HELP
12 BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN GOVERNMENT RESOURCES AND SERVICES TO
13 VETERANS. THE VET HUNTERS HAVE SERVED AS A SECOND FAMILY TO
14 HUNDREDS OF VETERANS IN THE REGION. THEY TRULY PROVIDE A
15 SECOND OPPORTUNITY FOR VETERANS TO RECLAIM THEIR LIVES. THE
16 VET HUNTERS' COMMITMENT TO OUR VETERANS' COMMUNITY HAS
17 TRANSFORMED AND EVEN SAVED MANY LIVES, ONE VETERAN AT A TIME.
18 THEREFORE, ON BEHALF OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF
19 SUPERVISORS, IT IS MY HONOR TO PRESENT THE VET HUNTERS THIS
20 CERTIFICATE IN HONOR OF THEIR WORK IN SERVING OUR VETERANS
21 THROUGHOUT LOS ANGELES COUNTY. [APPLAUSE.]

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23 **SUP. KNABE:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS, I WOULD JUST LIKE TO ADD. THIS
24 IS AN INCREDIBLE ORGANIZATION. THEY WORK A LOT THROUGHOUT THE
25 ENTIRE COUNTY. BEEN ACTIVE BEHIND LONG BEACH AS WELL AS

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1 THROUGH THE SOUTH EAST AREA. ONE VET AT A TIME, THEY'RE A HOME
2 AWAY FROM HOME. SO WE APPRECIATE ALL THAT YOU GUYS DO, THANK
3 YOU.

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5 **SPEAKER:** WE HAVE A SAYING AT VET HUNTERS, AND IT'S "NO RED
6 TAPE IS HOW WE OPERATE." I WISH THAT WE DIDN'T HAVE TO ACCEPT
7 THIS. I WISH THAT WE DIDN'T EVEN HAVE TO EXIST. WE ARE
8 VOLUNTEERS, HUSBANDS, DAUGHTERS, WIVES. WE ARE REGULAR
9 PATRIOTS, AMERICANS AND VETERANS GETTING TOGETHER TO SAY THAT
10 THE WORD HOMELESS AND VETERANS SHOULD NEVER GO TOGETHER. WE'RE
11 VOLUNTEERS. WE ARE NONGOVERNMENT-FUNDED. WE ARE SUPPORTED
12 OURSELVES. AND THE REASON WHY IS BECAUSE THESE HEROES DON'T
13 DESERVE TO BE OUT ON THE STREET. SO TO END VETERAN
14 HOMELESSNESS AND TO END THE CITY AND THE COUNTY'S MISSION TO
15 ERADICATE THAT, WE HAVE STEPPED UP. WE HAVE SAID, DO YOU KNOW
16 WHAT? THEY NEED OUR HELP. AND AS CITIZENS AND AGAIN AS
17 VETERANS, WE HAVE STEPPED UP AND SAID WE'RE HERE TO MAKE A
18 DIFFERENCE. WE REALLY APPRECIATE THE ACKNOWLEDGMENT. AND SHE
19 WAS THERE WITH US ON SKID ROW. WE BROUGHT AN IN AND OUT TRUCK
20 ON SKID ROW. WE RAISED THE MONEY OURSELVES. WE FED OUR
21 HOMELESS BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN AND OUT AS A WAY TO TELL THEM
22 WE LOVE THEM BUT IN ADDITION WE PROVIDED SERVICES AND WE
23 BROUGHT HOPE AND HOPE IS A REALLY BIG WORD. SO THANK YOU VERY
24 MUCH. KEEP A LOOKOUT FOR US BECAUSE WE'RE GOING BACK AGAIN
25 THIS SUNDAY AT MACARTHUR PARK AND WE'RE GOING TO GO OUT THERE

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1 TO GET THESE WARRIORS OFF THE STREETS. SO THANK YOU.

2 [APPLAUSE.]

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4 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SUPERVISOR KNABE.

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6 **SUP. KNABE:** AT THIS TIME I WOULD LIKE TO CALL BUT GARY JONES,
7 OUR DIRECTOR OF BEACHES AND HARBORS, A DEAR FRIEND TO MANY OF
8 US. MR. JERRY EPSTEIN OF THE SHORES IN MARINA DEL REY. AND
9 WE'RE HERE TO COMMEMORATE THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF MARINA DEL
10 REY. IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE IT'S BEEN 50 YEARS, BUT IT HAS. ALSO
11 JOINING US TODAY WE HAVE MANY MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY WHO
12 HAVE WORKED SO HARD OVER THE YEARS TO KEEP MARINA DEL REY THAT
13 ULTIMATE DESTINATION NOT ONLY FOR OUR OWN RESIDENTS BUT PEOPLE
14 THROUGHOUT OUR GREAT NATION AND THE WORLD. SO I'D LIKE TO ASK
15 OUR GUESTS OUT HERE FROM MARINA DEL REY, GOOD FRIENDS, TO
16 PLEASE STAND UP AND WE'LL GIVE YOU A LITTLE ROUND OF
17 RECOGNITION THERE. [APPLAUSE]. THIS HAS BEEN A VERY UNIQUE
18 PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP OVER THE YEARS. AND WHAT WAS ONCE A
19 SALT WATER MARSH MOSTLY KNOWN FOR DUCK HUNTING AND OIL
20 DERRICKS BECAME THE LARGEST MANMADE SMALL CRAFT HARBOR IN
21 NORTH AMERICA WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF MARINA DEL REY. ON APRIL
22 10, 1965, MARINA DEL REY WAS FORMALLY DEDICATED. THE YEAR 2015
23 MARKS THE 50TH BIRTHDAY OF THE CROWN JEWEL OF OUR GREAT
24 COUNTY. MORE THAN FIVE DECADES AGO, A HANDFUL OF CIVIC LEADERS
25 AND INVESTORS HAD A VERY UNIQUE VISION TO CREATE A

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1 RECREATIONAL BOATING MARINA. RISKING THEIR PROFESSIONAL
2 CREDIBILITY AND IN THE CASE OF SOME THEIR ENTIRE FORTUNES ON A
3 DAUNTING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT, ONE MADE EVEN MORE DIFFICULT
4 WHEN THE TIDAL SURGE OF A STORMY WINTER OF 1962-63 DESTROYED
5 THE HARBOR. MANY THOUGHT THE OCEAN'S FURY WOULD DEFEAT THE
6 MAN-MADE ENGINEERING MARVEL. BUT THE HARBOR'S FOUNDERS WERE
7 UNDAUNTED, WORKING WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND OTHERS
8 SEEKING AND OBTAINING A SURGE-DEFYING BREAKWATER THAT CLEARED
9 THE WAY FOR THE MARINA TO FLOURISH FOR THE YEARS SINCE. TODAY,
10 THE MARINA IS A STYLISH COASTAL COMMUNITY OFFERING A NUMBER OF
11 DIFFERENT RECREATIONAL BOATING OPPORTUNITIES, WATERFRONT
12 SHOPS, RESTAURANTS, HOTELS AND ABSOLUTELY MARINA DEL REY APTLY
13 NAMED THE HARBOR OF THE KING COMMEMORATES 50 YEARS AS LOS
14 ANGELES COUNTY'S PREMIER DESTINATION FOR WATER-ORIENTED
15 RECREATION AND WISHED ALL THE BEST IN THE CELEBRATION OF THIS
16 GREAT GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY. SO WE WANT TO SAY HAPPY BIRTHDAY,
17 MARINA DEL REY, TO MANY, MANY MORE YEARS. AND AS WE BEGIN THE
18 CELEBRATION FOR THE ENTIRE YEAR, TO WISH THE MARINA A VERY,
19 VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY. [APPLAUSE.] JERRY AND GARY, WOULD YOU
20 LIKE TO SAY A COUPLE WORDS?

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22 **JERRY EPSTEIN:** THANK YOU, SUPERVISOR. IT'S MY GREAT HONOR AND
23 PLEASURE TO REPRESENT ALL OF THOSE WHO HAVE LABORED OVER THESE
24 LAST 50 YEARS TO SERVE AND REALIZE BURTON CHACE'S VISION.
25 BURTON WAS THE SUPERVISOR AT THAT TIME. FOR A VIBRANT URBAN

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1 WATERFRONT COMMUNITY AND THE NATION'S LARGEST MANMADE PLEASURE
2 BOAT HARBOR. THE CREATION AND THE DEVELOPMENT AND NOW THE
3 REDEVELOPMENT THANKS TO DON KNABE, THE REDEVELOPMENT, BRINGING
4 US INTO THE 21ST CENTURY, IT'S THE DEDICATION OF THE
5 DEVELOPMENT WITH THE UNIQUE LONG PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE BOARD
6 OF SUPERVISORS, THE COUNTY BUREAUCRACY, THE PRIVATE SECTOR AND
7 OUR COMMUNITY. THIS YEAR'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY SHOULD NOT ONLY
8 PAY TRIBUTE TO THE REMARKABLE HISTORY OF THE MARINA, BUT ALSO
9 LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE FUTURE ENJOYMENT OF THE COUNTY'S
10 CROWN JEWEL. WE ARE THE COUNTY'S CROWN JEWEL. THE GENERATION
11 OF COUNTY RESIDENTS AND VISITORS FROM AROUND THE WORLD. I'VE
12 BEEN FORTUNATE TO BE PART OF THE FIRST 50 YEARS. AND OF COURSE
13 I'M THRILLED, REALLY THRILLED TO BE STANDING HERE TODAY AS A
14 STAKEHOLDER COMMITTED TO THE MARINA FOR THE 21ST CENTURY. I'D
15 LIKE TO ASK NOW GARY JONES, DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
16 BEACHES AND HARBORS, TO DISCUSS OUR FORTHCOMING CELEBRATION.

17

18 **GARY JONES:** THE DEPARTMENT OF BEACHES AND HARBORS IS THRILLED
19 TO TAKE PART IN HOSTING MARINA DEL REY'S BIRTHDAY BASH WEEKEND
20 ALONGSIDE L.A. MARINA FEST BOAT SHOW ON APRIL 10, 11 AND 12.
21 WE INVITE EVERYONE DOWN TO THE MARINA THAT WEEKEND TO ENJOY
22 THE TALL SHIPS, A FREE CONCERT BY THREE DOG NIGHT, FIREWORKS
23 ON THE WATER, HISTORICAL TOURS, PIRATES AND MUCH, MUCH, MORE.
24 WE THANK THE ENTIRE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THEIR SUPPORT AND
25 WE'RE ESPECIALLY THANKFUL FOR THE ASSISTANCE OF SUPERVISOR

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1 KNABE, WITHOUT WHOM THIS SPECIAL BIRTHDAY BASH CELEBRATION
2 WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE. WE ALSO THANK THE MANY COMMUNITY
3 STAKEHOLDERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT AND COLLABORATION IN PLANNING
4 AN EXCITING YEAR OF SOCIAL EVENTS TO COMMEMORATE THE MARINA'S
5 50TH BIRTHDAY. CHECK OUT THE ACTIVITIES AT
6 VISITMARINADELRAY.COM. AS WE REFLECT ON THE MARINA'S GOLDEN
7 PAST, WE CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL A SENSE OF AWE AT THE MANY
8 TRANSFORMATIONS THAT HAVE OCCURRED IN MARINA DEL REY SINCE ITS
9 CREATION A HALF CENTURY AGO, AND THE MARINA CONTINUES TO
10 EVOLVE. COMMUNITY PRIDE IS GROWING, AND WE'RE DEVELOPING MORE
11 WAYS FOR THE PUBLIC TO ACCESS THE WATER AND RECREATIONAL
12 OPPORTUNITIES. SO THAT ALL L.A. COUNTY RESIDENTS CAN ENJOY
13 WHAT TRULY IS L.A.'S MARINA. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. [APPLAUSE.]

14

15 **SUP. KNABE:** THANK YOU AGAIN. HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

16

17 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** WELL, MEMBERS, IT'S A PLEASURE TODAY
18 AS LOS ANGELES COUNTY IS RECOGNIZING JANUARY 20, 2015 AS
19 KOREAN-AMERICAN DAY IN OUR COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. WE'RE VERY
20 PROUD TO COMMEMORATE THE MANY CONTRIBUTIONS AND RECOGNIZE WHAT
21 OUR KOREAN- AMERICANS HAVE DONE IN FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF OUR
22 COUNTY, OUR STATE AND OUR NATION. FOR MORE THAN A CENTURY, THE
23 KOREAN COMMUNITY HAS REALIZED SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN
24 THE AREAS OF EDUCATION, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE, THE ARTS AND
25 COMMUNITY SERVICE. OUR RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES

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1 AND KOREA BEGAN BACK WITH THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND
2 CONGRESS IN 1882 AND AS A RESULT OF THIS AGREEMENT MANY
3 AMERICANS, ESPECIALLY MISSIONARIES, HAD A ROLE IN THE
4 DEVELOPMENT OF MODERN KOREA. IT WAS ON JANUARY 13, 1903 THAT
5 THE FIRST KOREAN IMMIGRANTS TO THE UNITED STATES ARRIVED IN
6 HONOLULU, HAWAII, ABOARD THE S.S. GAELIC AND BEGAN A NEW LIFE
7 IN THIS COUNTRY. KOREAN-AMERICAN DAY IS A MEANINGFUL EVENT
8 HIGHLIGHTING THE PAST AND PRESENT CONTRIBUTIONS OF KOREAN-
9 AMERICANS TO OUR SOCIETY. AND AS PART OF THAT AMERICAN
10 CULTURAL TRAVESTY OUR CITIZENS OF KOREAN ANCESTRY SHARE
11 FREEDOM AND PEACE BASED ON A COMMON RESPECT FOR HUMAN DIGNITY,
12 PROSPERITY, RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AND DEMOCRACY. FROM THE KOREAN-
13 AMERICAN FOUNDATION TODAY WE HAVE THE NATIONAL PRESIDENT SUN
14 PARK, PRESIDENT SUN KIM, PRESIDENT TAN CHUNG, CHAIRMAN TAN
15 CHUNG AND SENIOR ADVISOR DR. YOUNG JAN KIM. SO LET ME GIVE
16 THIS TO THE KOREAN AMERICAN DAY. AND THEN THE KOREAN
17 IMMIGRATION. LET'S DO PICTURES AND YOU CAN ALL SAY SOMETHING.
18 YOU CAN ALL SAY A FEW WORDS. PAUL HERE SERVED WITH PRESIDENT
19 BUSH AS HEAD OF THE PEACE CORPS IN THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION AND
20 ALSO WAS QUITE INVOLVED AND WAS ONE OF OUR GREAT REPUBLICAN
21 CANDIDATES FOR THE STATE LEGISLATURE MANY, MANY YEARS AGO, WAS
22 IT IN THE 1990S? ANYWAY, PAUL AND HIS WIFE HAVE BEEN INVOLVED
23 IN OUR COMMUNITY AND NOW AS A SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT WITH THE
24 UNITED NATIONS WHERE THEY'RE TAKING COMPUTERS, RETROFITTING
25 THOSE COMPUTERS FOR THE CHILDREN, DISADVANTAGED CHILDREN

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1 THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED
2 NATIONS IS HIS CLASSMATE.

3

4 **SPEAKER:** MIKE YOU KNEW MORE ABOUT IT THAN I THOUGHT YOU KNEW
5 ABOUT IT. MIKE, PERSONALLY IT IS SO GREAT TO SEE YOU. I ENJOY
6 RECEIVING YOUR EMAIL EVERY DAY, SOMETIMES TWO OR SOMETIMES
7 FIVE. JUST WHILE AGO, I RECEIVE ABOUT MASS, YOU HAD SOMEBODY
8 HAD AT -- SO I WANT YOU TO KNOW I READ THAT SOMETIMES. AND I
9 ENJOY LOOKING AT YOUR CHILDREN. THEY ARE GROWING UP REAL GOOD.
10 SO TODAY I'M VERY HONORED TO INTRODUCE TO YOU HONORABLE YOUNG
11 JIM KIM. HE SERVED FIVE TERMS IN THE KOREAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.
12 BUT HE'S SO GOOD, KOREAN AMERICAN FOUNDATION INVITE HIM TO BE
13 THE SENIOR ADVISER TO THEIR FOUNDATION. SO THAT'S WHY HE'S
14 HERE TO EXPRESS APPRECIATION ON BEHALF OF THE FOUNDATION.

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16 **SPEAKER:** MR. ANTONOVICH, SUPERVISOR, [SPEAKING KOREAN] MAYOR
17 MIKE ANTONOVICH AND THE SUPERVISORS, ON BEHALF OF THE KOREAN-
18 AMERICANS ALL OVER THE COUNTRY, ESPECIALLY KOREAN- AMERICANS
19 IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY, ABOUT 500,000, WE WANT TO THANK YOU FOR
20 HONORING US WITH THIS PROCLAMATION, HONORING THE KOREAN-
21 AMERICAN CONTRIBUTION AND LIVING IN THE UNITED STATES OF
22 AMERICA. [SPEAKING KOREAN]. FOR 11TH YEAR, YOU HAVE PROCLAIMED
23 KOREAN-AMERICAN DAY. FOR THIS, WE ARE DEEPLY GRATEFUL FROM THE
24 BOTTOM OF OUR HEARTS. [SPEAKING KOREAN] THIS IS THE SECOND
25 TIME I'M ATTENDING YOUR SUPERVISORS MEETING. [SPEAKING KOREAN]

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1 YOU MAY LIKE TO KNOW, IT MAY SOUND STRANGE, BUT YESTERDAY I
2 ATTENDED THE 16TH TIME MARTIN LUTHER KING PARADE. AND ONE TIME
3 I SERVED AS GRAND MARSHAL AND MANY TIMES I SPOKE AT THE EVENT
4 AND BEEN ON THE OPEN CAR PARADE. [SPEAKING KOREAN] I WANT YOU
5 TO KNOW, EVEN IN KOREA WE CELEBRATE MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY
6 BECAUSE HIS COURAGE TO FIGHT FOR THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF NOT ONLY
7 AFRICAN-AMERICANS BUT ALL AMERICANS AND ALL THE PEOPLE AROUND
8 THE WORLD. SO HE'S LIVING WITH US. HIS SPEECH UNDER "I HAVE A
9 DREAM" IS IN THE HEARTS OF MANY, MANY YOUNG PEOPLE IN KOREA AS
10 WELL AS IN AMERICA. [SPEAKING KOREAN] ONCE AGAIN, I LIKE TO
11 THANK MAYOR ANTONOVICH AND THE SUPERVISORS FOR GIVING US THIS
12 OPPORTUNITY. FOR MY PERSONAL NOTE, I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT
13 500,000 KOREAN- AMERICANS IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY ARE GRATEFUL
14 FOR YOUR DEDICATED SERVICE ON BEHALF OF ALL OF US. AND WE
15 ENJOY LIVING IN THE GREAT COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. GREATEST
16 COUNTY IN OUR COUNTRY. THANK YOU. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
17 [APPLAUSE.] THIS WILL BE ON THE FRONT PAGE OF KOREAN-AMERICAN
18 NEWSPAPER ALL OVER THE WORLD.

19

20 **SPEAKER:** LET ME GIVE THE SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM WHITE HOUSE FOR
21 THE RECORD. LET ME READ FROM THE PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA FROM
22 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. THE WHITE HOUSE, WASHINGTON, JANUARY
23 12, 2015. "I SEND GREETINGS TO ALL THOSE OBSERVING KOREAN-
24 AMERICAN DAY. THE DIVERSITY OF OUR PEOPLE HAS ALWAYS BEEN
25 ESSENTIAL TO AMERICA'S PROGRESS AND ECONOMIC SUCCESS. AND

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1 GENERATIONS OF KOREAN- AMERICANS HAVE BEEN INTEGRAL TO THIS
2 GROWTH. FOR OVER A CENTURY, KOREAN- AMERICANS HAVE HELPED
3 BUILD, DEFEND AND FORTIFY OUR COUNTRY, DEMONSTRATING WE ARE
4 STRONGEST AS A NATION WHEN WE HARNESS THE TALENTS OF ALL OUR
5 PEOPLE. ON THIS SPECIAL OCCASION, WE RECOGNIZE THE ENDURING
6 ALLIANCE AND FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE
7 REPUBLIC OF KOREA. OUR TWO PEOPLES HAVE WALKED ALONGSIDE EACH
8 OTHER WITH A COMMON COMMITMENT AND SHARED SACRIFICE FOR MORE
9 THAN 60 YEARS. UPHOLDING REGIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY AND
10 PROMOTING DEMOCRATIC VALUES ACROSS THE GLOBE. AS YOU CELEBRATE
11 THE WAYS KOREAN- AMERICANS HAVE ENRICHED OUR NATIONAL
12 CHARACTER, I WISH YOU ALL THE BEST. THE PRESIDENT OF THE
13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, BARACK OBAMA." THANK YOU.
14 [APPLAUSE.]

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16 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** NOW WE HAVE A LITTLE 24 WEEK OLD
17 TERRIER. YORKIE TERRIER. LITTLE SASSY. SHE'S COMING WITH A
18 LITTLE RED JACKET. SHE'S LOOKING FOR A HOME. ANYBODY LIKE TO
19 ADOPT LITTLE SASSY? CALLED 562-256-1649. AND LITTLE SASSY IS
20 LOOKING FOR A LITTLE LOVE AND A LITTLE HOME. WILL PROVIDE A
21 LOT OF COMFORT, FRIENDSHIP, COMPANIONSHIP TO YOU. SHE'S A VERY
22 SWEET LITTLE GIRL. VERY SWEET. DR. GENEVIEVE CLAVREUL, ITEM 3,
23 6, 12, 14. HERMAN HERMAN 20, 23, 42-A, CS-1. ERIC PREVEN, 3,
24 8, 12, 20, 27, 28, 42-A. AND MR. SACHS, 1-D, 11, 20, 23, 37,
25 39. MR. PREVEN?

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2 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** MR. MAYOR, BEFORE WE GO, IF
3 I COULD, IF WE COULD CLARIFY ON ITEM 38, THE INTERIM C.E.O.,
4 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE REFERRED
5 BACK TO THE DEPARTMENT RATHER THAN BEING CONTINUED.

6

7 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SO MOVED, SECONDED BY MARK RIDLEY-
8 THOMAS, WITHOUT OBJECTION SO ORDERED.

9

10 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** THANK YOU.

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12 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MR. PREVEN?

13

14 **ERIC PREVEN:** IT IS ERIC PREVEN, COUNTY RESIDENT FROM DISTRICT
15 3 AND ALSO CANDIDATE FOR THE CITY COUNCIL IN DISTRICT 2 --
16 CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 2. THIS IS QUITE AN INTERESTING AGENDA.
17 ON ITEM NO. 3, I WOULD LIKE TO THANK MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS FOR
18 REACHING IN THE DIRECTION OF OPEN DATA FROM OUR OPEN
19 GOVERNMENT CHAMPION, I DO APPRECIATE THAT. ITEM NO. 12 IS
20 RELATED. IT'S A TERRA NOVA CONSULTING CONTRACT TO TRAIN
21 INDIVIDUALS IN SECURITY AND PRIVACY TRAINING. AND I WOULD JUST
22 ASK THAT SOME OF THE SHARPER ATTORNEY TYPES LOOK CLOSELY AT
23 WHAT SPECIFIC TRAINING WE WILL BE PROVIDING, BECAUSE THIS IS
24 AN AREA WHERE WE WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT WE DON'T FIND WAYS TO
25 PREVENT DISCLOSURES OF THINGS AS A WAY OF PROTECTING PRIVACY.

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1 WE ABSOLUTELY VALUE PRIVACY AND PROTECTION OF INDIVIDUALS, FOR
2 EXAMPLE, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS, BUT WE WANT FULL ACCESS TO
3 PUBLIC DATA. ITEM NO. 27 AND 28 IS CONTRACTS WITH SECURITAS
4 USA. SECURITAS, FOR THOSE THAT DON'T KNOW, A LARGE, SWEDISH,
5 VERY NICELY MANAGED SECURITY COMPANY. WE HAVE A LOT OF
6 CONTRACTS WITH THEM. THESE TWO ITEMS INVOLVE SAYING GOODBYE TO
7 NORTH AMERICAN SECURITY, WHO ALWAYS HAD THE SORT OF SMALLER
8 BIT OF CONTRACTS, AND ALLOWING SECURITAS TO BULK UP. THIS
9 BULKING UP REQUIRES CAREFUL CONSIDERATION OF THE BOARD IN THE
10 CONTEXT OF THE ONGOING PRIVATIZATION OF PUBLIC SERVICES. I
11 THINK IT'S WORTH A CLOSE LOOK. I HAVE NOTHING NEGATIVE TO SAY
12 ABOUT SECURITAS EXCEPT FOR ONE THING, THAT THEY CAME BEFORE
13 THIS BOARD CRYING FOUL BECAUSE THEY LOST A CONTRACT TO NORTH
14 AMERICAN SOME YEARS AGO, AND THEN THE ISSUE THAT CAME OUT IS
15 THEY WERE UPSET THAT THERE WAS GOING TO BE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT
16 COSTS THAT WOULD BUMP THEIR CONTRACTS UP. AND THEY WERE
17 RESISTING THAT. AND WE SHOULD JUST WATCH THAT VERY CLOSELY.
18 ITEM NO. 20, I TRIED TO GET SOME CLARITY. IT'S AN ENGINEERING
19 CONSULT BETWEEN THREE SEPARATE FIRMS THAT ARE ON A PANEL.
20 SUPERVISORS, I KNOW YOU HAVEN'T HEARD SOME OF THESE THINGS.
21 A.E.C.O.M. IS A BIG COMPANY THAT HAS BEEN CONSULTING FOR US IN
22 LOTS OF AREAS INCLUDING OUR JAIL PLAN AND HERE IS AN
23 OPPORTUNITY FOR UNSPECIFIED 5 MILLION, 5 MILLION, 5 MILLION TO
24 BE AWARDED TO, AMONG OTHERS, A.E.C.O.M. AND THE QUESTION IS:
25 FOR WHAT PROJECTS? BECAUSE I DO THINK IT'S CRITICALLY

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1 IMPORTANT THAT IT BE COMING BACK HERE. I UNDERSTAND THIS IS TO
2 ACCOMMODATE CERTAIN FEDERAL GUIDELINES FOR FUNDING ON CERTAIN
3 PROJECTS, BUT I STILL THINK THAT THAT'S WORTH A CAREFUL LOOK.
4 ITEM NO. 29 I HAVE A SIMPLE QUESTION. WHY SHOULD IT BE SOLE
5 SOURCE? I HAVE NO OBJECTION TO MUGSHOT TECHNOLOGY, BUT WHY IN
6 THE WORLD SHOULD IT BE SOLE SOURCE? THERE'S COMPETITION OUT
7 THERE. AND ITEM NO. I BELIEVE IT IS ITEM NO. 18, NO, SORRY, IT
8 IS NOT ITEM NO. 18. IT IS ITEM NO. 19, WE HAVE A 50,000 SQUARE
9 FOOT FACILITY GOING UP AT THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. CAMPUS.
10 IT'S NOT YET DONE BUT THERE'S GOING TO BE SOME BIDS ON THAT, I
11 GUESS. AND IT'S GOING OUT TO A VERY SHORT LIST. I WAS CURIOUS.
12 HOW WAS THAT SHORT LIST CREATED? AND THAT CONCLUDES MY
13 COMMENTS FOR TODAY. THANK YOU.

14

15 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THANK YOU. DR. CLAVREUL?

16

17 **DR. GENEVIEVE CLAVREUL:** YEAH, GOOD AFTERNOON, BOARD OF
18 SUPERVISORS. DR. GENEVIEVE CLAVREUL. ON ITEM 6 IN PARTICULAR,
19 WE ARE TALKING AGAIN ABOUT FOR TRAUMA TO HAVE CERTAIN HOSPITAL
20 DESIGNS, HUNTINGTON AND U.S.C. MEDICAL CENTER. I DON'T KNOW
21 ABOUT YOU, BUT I READ RECENTLY THE GRADE OF THE HOSPITAL. AND
22 FOR U.S.C. MEDICAL CENTER, WE WENT FROM A "B" TO A "C" TO A
23 "D" AND ALL UNDER DR. KATZ, THE WONDERFUL _____ THAT YOU LIKE
24 SO MUCH. DR. KATZ TOOK POWER HIS JOB IN 2011. FROM 2011 TO NOW
25 WE WENT FROM LIKE I SAID FROM AN "A" TO A "D". AND RIGHT NOW

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1 HE'S TRYING TO BE IN CHARGE OF THREE DEPARTMENTS. I URGE YOU
2 NOT TO MERGE THOSE THREE DEPARTMENTS. HE CANNOT EVEN HANDLE
3 U.S.C. AND U.S.C. WE WENT FROM A TOP OF THE LINE HOSPITAL TO A
4 GRADE OF A "D". THAT'S PRETTY SCARY TO ME. AND I REALLY WOULD
5 LIKE FOR YOU TO LOOK A LITTLE MORE IN DETAIL OF THAT,
6 ESPECIALLY IT'S ONE OF THE BEST TRAUMA CENTERS WE HAVE IN THE
7 COUNTY. SO I'M NOT PLEASED AT ALL ABOUT WHAT'S GOING ON. AND I
8 ALSO WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A COPY OF THE CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN
9 DR. KATZ AND THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. IT MAY MEAN THAT YOU
10 HAVE REFUSED TO PROVIDE TO L.A. TIMES OR TO ANY PUBLIC.
11 PERSONALLY TO ME IT SOUND LIKE SERIAL MEETING, BUT PLEASE GIVE
12 ME A COPY OF THAT MEMO. I'D BE GLAD TO REVIEW IT AND SEE FOR
13 MY OWN EYES WHAT'S GOING ON BETWEEN THAT MERGER OF THOSE THREE
14 UNITS. ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, I MEAN THAT'S THE SAME ITEM
15 WE HAD A LONG TIME AGO. AND WE ARE DOING THE SAME THING OVER
16 AGAIN. AND ACTUALLY MANY OF THE ITEMS I WANTED TO TALK TODAY
17 WERE CONTINUED. 15, 19 AND 29. AGAIN VIOLATING THE BROWN ACT.
18 ACTUALLY IT'S POSTED ON THE AGENDA, SO PUBLIC HAS A RIGHT TO
19 SPEAK TO THOSE ITEMS. AND YOU HAVE DONE THAT RECENTLY FOR THE
20 LAST FEW MONTHS. IT'S TOTALLY INAPPROPRIATE. AND I'M SEEING
21 LESS AND LESS TRANSPARENCY. AND THIS IS NOT GOOD. SO I WOULD
22 REALLY URGE YOU TO STOP THAT HABIT, TO PUT ITEMS ON YOUR
23 AGENDA AND AT THE LAST MINUTE CHANGE YOUR MIND. THANK YOU FOR
24 YOUR ATTENTION. HAVE A GOOD DAY.

25

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1 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THANK YOU, DOCTOR. MR. SACHS?

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3 **ARNOLD SACHS:** YES, THANK YOU, GOOD MORNING -- OR GOOD

4 AFTERNOON, ARNOLD SACHS. I DID HOLD SEVERAL ITEMS. YOU KNOW

5 ONE OF MY FAVORITES IS SOUND INSULATION AND THE USE OF AIRPORT

6 FUNDS. IT STATES HERE THEY ARE GOING TO APPROXIMATELY JUST

7 UNDER \$1.3 MILLION. NOW, SOME OF THOSE FUNDS ARE COLLECTED

8 FROM PASSENGERS WHO USE CABS. THEY PAY A FEE, AIRPORT FEE OF

9 \$4, I BELIEVE. BUT ACCORDING TO ONE OF THE MANAGERS OR OWNERS

10 OF ONE OF CAB COMPANIES, THE CAB COMPANIES ACTUALLY RECEIVE \$2

11 OF THAT \$4 THAT IS COLLECTED BY THE CAB DRIVERS. SO INSTEAD OF

12 325,000 TRIPS TO COVER THAT \$1.3 MILLION, IT TAKES 650,000

13 TRIPS TO COVER THAT \$1.3 MILLION. THAT'S QUITE A DIFFERENCE.

14 ESPECIALLY WITH THE AIRPORT. YOU KNOW, THAT'S A LOT OF MONEY.

15 CONSIDERING THAT THE COUNTY'S BUDGET IS HALF A BILLION DOLLARS

16 A WEEK. AND THE L.A.X. SPENT \$250 MILLION ON A GENERAL PLAN,

17 AND THERE'S NO SUBWAY AND THERE'S NO TRANSPORTATION, PUBLIC

18 TRANSPORTATION TO THE AIRPORT, YOU WOULD THINK THAT THAT \$2

19 WOULD COME IN HANDY FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, BUT IT DOESN'T.

20 I HELD ITEMS 11 AND 37, YOU KNOW IT SAYS ON ITEM NO. 11, AGAIN

21 IT'S ORDINANCE POSITIONS, AND IMPLEMENT THE RESULTS OF

22 AMBULATORY CARE STUDY. AND THEN IT SAYS RELATES TO ITEM 37.

23 WELL ITEM 37 DOESN'T RELATE -- DOESN'T MENTION ANYTHING ABOUT

24 THE CARE STUDY AT ALL. SO HOW CAN THAT BE ADOPTED IF IT'S AN

25 ORDINANCE AND IT RELATES TO ITEM 37? I HELD ITEM NO. 20. IT'S

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1 \$5 MILLION CONTRACTS. THREE OF THEM. SO WHERE'S THE VET HIRING
2 PART OF THAT CONTRACT? DON'T YOU HAVE A VET PROGRAM WHERE
3 CONTRACTS OVER \$5 MILLION SHOULD INCLUDE VETS? OH, WAIT,
4 THAT'S ONLY CONSTRUCTION. SO ARE YOU SAYING THAT VETS ARE
5 UNCAPABLE OF DOING THESE OTHER OPERATIONS, THIS TECHNICAL
6 TRAINING? I FIND THAT AWFULLY HARD TO BELIEVE. I WISH ONE OF
7 THE SUPERVISORS WOULD STEP UP AND SAY THAT SHOULD BE INCLUDED
8 IN ALL THE CONTRACTS WE GIVE OUT BECAUSE WE'RE DOING SO MUCH
9 TO HIRE VETS. I HELD ITEM 23. IT'S ABOUT THE FOURTH
10 INSTALLMENT OF PROPOSITION 1-P FUNDS. AND THEN I PICKED UP
11 THIS REPORT. IT MENTIONS THAT THE COUNTY HAS RECEIVED ITS
12 ENTIRE SHARE OF THE \$190 MILLION AFTER CONSIDERATION OF THE
13 STATE'S ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. AND I REMEMBER THAT YOU HAD AN
14 ITEM ON YOUR AGENDA LAST YEAR FOR STATE ADMINISTRATIVE FEE, 20
15 PERCENT. \$1 MILLION ALLOCATED TO THE COUNTY, THE STATE'S
16 GETTING 20 PERCENT ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. DO YOU THINK THAT'S
17 ALLOWED, MISS KUEHL? YOU WERE IN STATE LEGISLATION. DO YOU
18 THINK 20 PERCENT OF 1 BILLION FOR ADMINISTRATION, THAT'S \$200
19 MILLION. THAT'S NOT BAD IF YOU CAN GET AWAY WITH IT.

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21 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THANK YOU. MR. HERMAN HERMAN?

22
23 **HERMAN HERMAN:** MAYBE I CAN SPEAK ABOUT WHAT MR. ARNOLD SACHS
24 IS TALKING ABOUT ON ITEM 23. WELL, THANK YOU FOR TELLING ME TO
25 SHUT UP, MR. ARNOLD, VERY PROFESSIONAL OF YOU. BUT YOU COME IN

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1 WITH JUST THAT, YOU DON'T COME IN WITH THE FACTS, ARNOLD.
2 CONSTANTLY PICKING ON MISS SHEILA HERE INSTEAD OF GIVING HER
3 THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAYBE ALLOW THIS TO HAPPEN. BUT THE
4 RECOMMENDATIONS TO APPROVE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
5 REVISED LISTS OF ROAD IMPROVEMENTS, I FIND IT TIMELY AND
6 MANAGEABLE NOW THAT THE FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION HAS
7 COME FORWARD TO THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, ALONG WITH THE
8 COUNTY, QUESTIONING WHY CERTAIN STREETS IN OUR COMMUNITIES
9 HAVE NOT BEEN REPAIRED, ALTERED OR FIXED DUE TO THE EXTENT
10 THAT WE'RE LOOKING AT TRAFFIC SAFETY HERE. THE INFRASTRUCTURE
11 THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY HAS ALWAYS BEEN A TROUBLING PROBLEM
12 FINANCIALLY. WHETHER OR NOT THE COUNTY IS UTILIZING THE
13 FEDERAL STATE DOLLARS THAT ARE MANDATED TO RELIEVE THE PROBLEM
14 OF OUR TRAFFIC SAFETY, PEDESTRIAN SAFETY, I FIND IT
15 INCONCLUSIVE. SO IN REGARDS TO THE FUTURE IMPROVEMENTS, AND AS
16 MANY OF YOU ARE ALL AWARE THAT WE LOST -- UNFORTUNATELY WE
17 LOST THE CONDITIONS FOR THE OLYMPICS HERE. LIKELY THE CAUSE
18 AND EFFECT OF THAT WERE SIMPLY THAT THE SAFETY OF YOUR
19 PEDESTRIANS, YOUR CONSTITUENTS AND ALL THOSE HERE TO TOUR FOR
20 THE EVENTS FEEL THAT THEIR HEALTH AND SAFETY IS BASICALLY IN
21 TROUBLE. I FIND IT THAT WAY. I TRIP AND SLIP CONSTANTLY ON THE
22 POOR IMPROVEMENTS OF SIDEWALKS AND THE POTHOLES THROUGHOUT THE
23 CITY OF LOS ANGELES. I JUST MIGHT AS WELL TIE IT IN WITH WHAT
24 JOHN WALSH POINTED OUT OVER AND OVER, HOLLYWOODHIGHLAND.ORG,
25 WE HAVE BECOME THE POTHOLE CAPITAL OF THE WORLD SIMPLY BECAUSE

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1 WE DON'T WANT TO UTILIZE THE BUDGETARY BUDGET THAT WE THE
2 TAXPAYERS ARE PAYING ON FOR ALL THESE YEARS TO SEE THE
3 IMPROVEMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE. THE INFRASTRUCTURE THROUGHOUT
4 THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES IS HORRIBLE. IT'S VERY BAD. AND
5 HOPEFULLY WE DO NOT BECOME THE NEXT CITY COUNTY AND COUNTY AND
6 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO HAVE A PROBLEM WITH SLIPS AND FALLS
7 ANYMORE BECAUSE I'M SURE THAT WITH ALL THIS MONEY THAT IS
8 BROUGHT UP BY ARNOLD, THAT 20 PERCENT WILL RELATE TO THE
9 CONSTITUENTS OF YOUR COMMUNITIES. THANK YOU.

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11 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. BUT DON'T CONFUSE LOS ANGELES
12 CITY WITH LOS ANGELES COUNTY. IT'S A LITTLE BETTER ROAD
13 IMPROVEMENTS AND MANY OF THE OTHER 87 CITIES, AS WELL, HAVE
14 DONE A BETTER JOB ON THEIR ROADS. SO DON'T MIX UP L.A. CITY
15 WITH ALL THE OTHER CITIES WITHIN THE COUNTY OR THE COUNTY.
16 THAT WAS A SEPARATE ISSUE THAT WAS BEING ADDRESSED TO THE CITY
17 OF LOS ANGELES.

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19 **HERMAN HERMAN:** WELL I LIVE IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, SIR, THANK
20 YOU.

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22 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** MR. MAYOR, THERE ARE A
23 NUMBER OF ITEMS BEFORE YOU. ITEM 1-D, 3, 8, 11, 12, 14, 20,
24 23, 27, 28, 37, 39 AND 42-A.

25

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1 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. MOTION BY SUPERVISOR KUEHL.

2 SECONDED WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED. LET ME TAKE ITEM 6,
3 BECAUSE WE DID HAVE SPEAKERS MENTIONED ON THAT. SUPERVISOR
4 SOLIS, YOU HAD HELD THAT MOTION.

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6 **SUP. SOLIS:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR. I WANT TO THANK YOU AND
7 COMMEND YOU FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP. I KNOW LAST YEAR, YOU HAD
8 INTRODUCED A COUNTY RESOLUTION TO REQUEST A THOROUGH REVIEW OF
9 OUR TRAUMA CENTER SYSTEM IN THE SAN SAN GABRIEL VALLEY. I KNOW
10 THAT WAS ONE OF THE FIRST ITEMS WE TALKED ABOUT WHEN I CAME TO
11 THE BOARD. SOME OF YOU MAY NOT KNOW THIS, BUT BACK IN 1983,
12 WHEN LOS ANGELES FIRST DESIGNED AND IMPLEMENTED ITS TRAUMA
13 CARE SYSTEM, IT WAS WIDELY RECOGNIZED THAT ACCESSIBLE HOSPITAL
14 TRAUMA SERVICES FOR VICTIMS OF CATASTROPHIC AUTOMOBILE
15 ACCIDENTS, GUNSHOT WOUNDS AND OTHER INJURIES COULD BE THE
16 DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. FOR SO MANY PATIENTS IN THE
17 EAST SAN GABRIEL VALLEY TODAY SINCE 1987 WHEN TWO TRAUMA
18 CENTER CARE HOSPITALS WITHDREW FROM THAT SYSTEM, THE ACCESS TO
19 QUALITY TRAUMA CARE WAS DELAYED. IN THE CRITICAL MOMENTS AFTER
20 SEVERE INJURY, THEY HAVE TO BE TRANSPORTED TO L.A. U.S.C.
21 MEDICAL CENTER OR HUNTINGTON MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER BY EITHER
22 GROUND OR HELICOPTER. IN THE BEST-CASE SCENARIO, WITHOUT
23 TRAFFIC, IT CAN TAKE UP TO 30 MINUTES. AND AS YOU KNOW, THOSE
24 MINUTES AND SECONDS MEAN SOMEONE'S LIFE OR DEATH. IT IS
25 IMPERATIVE FOR THE MORE THAN 1,100 PATIENTS WHO NEED TRAUMA

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1 CARE SERVICES ANNUALLY IN THAT SIGNIFICANT REGION, THAT WE
2 MOVE QUICKLY TO SELECT AN APPROPRIATE FACILITY IN RESPONSE TO
3 THE COUNTY'S AUGUST 2014 REQUEST MADE BY OUR MAYOR. LET'S MOVE
4 FORWARD TO PROVIDE THE RESIDENTS OF A VAST AREA EAST OF THE
5 605 FREEWAY WITH TRAUMA CARE THAT IS SAFE, ACCESSIBLE AND,
6 INDEED, VERY MUCH NEEDED BY PATIENTS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH,
7 MAYOR.

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9 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MOTION BY SOLIS. SECONDED, SUPERVISOR
10 MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS?

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12 **SUP. RIDLEY-THOMAS:** MR. MAYOR, MAY I COMMEND BOTH SUPERVISOR
13 SOLIS AND YOURSELF ON THE MATTER OF TRAUMA CARE IS CRITICALLY
14 IMPORTANT TO ALL OF US, AN ISSUE THAT I'M HAPPY TO OBLIGE TO
15 SUPPORT THIS MOTION. AND URGE D.H.S. TO CONTINUE TO DO THE
16 GOOD WORK IT'S DOING, PARTICULARLY AS IT RELATES TO THE IMPACT
17 OF THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT. IT WOULD SEEM TO ME THAT D.H.S.
18 HAS AN OPPORTUNITY TO LOOK AT THE ADEQUACY OF TRAUMA CARE
19 COUNTY-WIDE. CERTAINLY THE MOTION THAT WAS INTRODUCED SOME
20 MONTHS AGO AND THE REPORT THAT HAS BEEN ISSUED RELATING TO THE
21 SOUTHEAST PORTION OF OUR COUNTY, SPECIFICALLY THE M.L.K. PHASE
22 2 EFFORT IS IMPORTANT. AND WHY IS THAT IMPORTANT? IT'S
23 IMPORTANT BECAUSE OF THE PENDING SALE OF THE DAUGHTERS OF
24 CHARITY SYSTEM AND ST. FRANCIS MEDICAL CENTER IN PARTICULAR TO
25 A FOR-PROFIT ENTITY THAT HAS CAUSED A NUMBER OF US SIGNIFICANT

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1 CONCERN. ST. FRANCIS, AS YOU KNOW, PLAYS A CENTRAL AND PIVOTAL
2 ROLE IN THE PROVISION OF TRAUMA CARE TO THE SOUTH LOS ANGELES
3 COMMUNITY, PARTICULARLY THE SOUTHEASTERN PORTION OF LOS
4 ANGELES AND SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES. FOR THAT REASON, WE ARE
5 DRAFTING A LETTER TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL URGING THAT SHE
6 CONDITION THE SALE OF ST. FRANCIS ON A REQUIREMENT THAT THE
7 NEW OWNER CONTINUE TO PROVIDE QUALITY TRAUMA CARE AND
8 EMERGENCY SERVICES. IF THAT DOES NOT HAPPEN, LET ME JUST
9 SIMPLY MAKE IT CLEAR, IT WILL ADVERSELY AFFECT THE FORWARD
10 MOVEMENT THAT WE'RE MAKING WITH THE BUILDING OF THE M.L.K.
11 CAMPUS AND WE DO NOT WISH TO SEE THAT HAPPEN. EVERYBODY HAS TO
12 CARRY THEIR OWN WEIGHT. SO ANY SALES THAT SHRINK, DENY AND THE
13 LIKE APPROPRIATELY GET OUR ATTENTION, SO WE ARE ON THE CASE
14 HERE. THIS IS NOT A NEW ISSUE FOR THIS BOARD. WE'VE RAISED
15 THIS BEFORE, ALL FIVE MEMBERS, SIGNED ONTO THE LETTER AT THE
16 TIME PRIOR TO THE NAMED ENTITY IN TERMS OF THE TRANSACTION.
17 AND AS WE TALK ABOUT TRAUMA CARE, I WANT TO ONCE AGAIN
18 INDICATE MY SUPPORT FOR THIS MOTION, BUT TO SAY AT THE SAME
19 TIME, WE THINK ABOUT TRAUMA CARE, WE OBVIOUSLY HAVE TO THINK
20 COUNTY-WIDE BECAUSE IF WE DO NOT, THOSE HOSPITALS THAT LOSE
21 TRAUMA CARE, EMERGENCY SERVICES WILL ADVERSELY AFFECT THE
22 REMAINING HOSPITALS, THEREFORE WEAKENING THE SAFETY NET. WE
23 WANT TO STRENGTHEN THE SAFETY NET AS THIS MOTION SEEKS TO DO.
24 I'M PLEASED TO SUPPORT IT.

25

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1 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** OKAY. WITHOUT OBJECTION -- SUPERVISOR
2 DON KNABE?

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4 **SUP. KNABE:** YEAH, I WANT TO CHIME IN HERE BECAUSE OBVIOUSLY
5 THE WHOLE SOUTHEAST PORTION OF MY DISTRICT IS DRAMATICALLY
6 AFFECTED BY ALL OF THIS. AND I ALSO HAVE THE CONCERNS OF THE
7 QUICK OVERLOAD EITHER AT M.L.K. OR DOWNEY, SOME OF THE OTHERS
8 SHOULD THIS DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY DEAL GO THE WRONG WAY ON US
9 AS WELL, TOO. SO GLAD WE'RE PUTTING THE LETTER TOGETHER AND
10 FORWARD IT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL BUT THIS IS REALLY
11 IMPORTANT. IT ALWAYS HAS BEEN. IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME. WE'VE
12 HAD A COUPLE OPPORTUNITIES COME AND GO AS IT RELATES TO
13 BUILDING A MEDICAL FACILITY OUT THERE ON A PUBLIC-PRIVATE
14 PARTNERSHIP, BUT THEN MONEY CYCLES TURNED AGAINST US. BUT IT'S
15 REALLY IMPORTANT THAT WE GET THE TRAUMA CARE OUT THERE. AGAIN,
16 I STRONGLY SUPPORT THE MOTION AS WELL TOO.

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18 **SUP ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED. OKAY. WE
19 HAVE A SET ITEM. S-1. O.I.G. AND SHERIFF? GOOD MORNING. GOOD
20 MORNING.

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22 **SHERIFF JIM MDDONNELL:** GOOD AFTERNOON.

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24 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** NOW, IT'S AFTERNOON.

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1 **SHERIFF JIM MDDONNELL:** YEAH, YEAH, THANK YOU.

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3 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** DO YOU WANT TO OPEN.

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5 **SHERIFF JIM MDDONNELL:** SURE, IT WOULD BE GREAT. FIRST TIME IN
6 MY CAPACITY AS SHERIFF APPEARING BEFORE THE BOARD TO DISCUSS
7 THE C.C.J.V. IMPLEMENTATION. LET ME BE CLEAR THAT NO AREAS OF
8 HIGHER PRIORITY TO ME THAN CONTINUED PROGRESS IN REGARD TO HOW
9 WE TREAT AND TEND TO THE NEEDS OF AND HOUSE THOSE ENTRUSTED TO
10 OUR CARE IN OUR JAIL FACILITIES. AS THE BOARD KNOWS, I AM NO
11 STRANGER TO THESE ISSUES. I WAS PROUD TO SERVE ON THE C.C.J.V.
12 AND HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO CREATE A ROADMAP AND DETAILED
13 BLUEPRINT FOR CHANGE IN THE CUSTODY DIVISION. WITH THE
14 LEADERSHIP OF ASSISTANT SHERIFF MCDONALD AND THIS BOARD AND
15 THE COMMITMENT OF THOSE WITHIN L.A.S.D. AS WELL AS THE
16 IMPLEMENTATION MONITOR WE CAME A LONG WAY SINCE THE C.C.J.V.
17 REPORT ISSUED. INDIVIDUALS WHO SERVED AS EXPERTS ADVISING OUR
18 COMMISSION AND WHO DESCRIBED IN THE 2012 JAIL SYSTEM WITH
19 TREMENDOUS CONCERN HAVE SINCE OPINED THAT OUR JAILS ARE A VERY
20 DIFFERENT PLACE TODAY THAN THEY WERE THEN. WHILE THAT BY NO
21 MEANS SHOULD SUGGEST THAT OUR WORK IS FINISHED AND I BY NO
22 MEANS BELIEVE THAT PAST PROBLEMS HAVE BEEN FULLY FIXED, WE CAN
23 BE PROUD OF HOW FAR WE'VE COME SINCE THE C.C.J.V. REPORT
24 ISSUED. HUGE PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN A VARIETY OF AREAS
25 SINCE THE C.C.J.V. REPORT ISSUED IN THE FALL OF 2012. AND I'LL

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1 JUST BRIEFLY TOUCH ON SOME OF THOSE. THE HIRING OF A
2 PROFESSIONAL HEAD FOR CUSTODY, ASSISTANT SHERIFF MCDONALD. A
3 TRUE CORRECTIONS EXPERT THAT WE'RE VERY FORTUNATE TO HAVE
4 WITHIN OUR DEPARTMENT. NEW FORCE POLICIES THAT MOST PERSONNEL
5 HAVE NOW BEEN TRAINED ON. THE CREATION OF THE NEW IMPACT WHICH
6 IS OUR AUDITS AND INSPECTIONS UNIT. AND SIGNIFICANT INCREASES
7 IN THE STAFFING OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS BUREAU AND I.C.I.B. THESE
8 AREAS WERE PREVIOUSLY WOEFULLY INADEQUATE IN THEIR STAFFING
9 AND SUPPORT. THE REDUCTION OF SIGNIFICANT LEVEL 3 FORCE AND AN
10 INCREASE IN LESS SIGNIFICANT FORCE, A POSITIVE INDICATION THAT
11 REPORTING IS MORE DILIGENT AND THAT FORCE INCIDENTS AREN'T
12 ESCALATING, ONLY THE FORCE NECESSARY TO CONTROL THE SITUATION
13 IS, BY AND LARGE, BEING USED. DRAMATIC REDUCTION IN INMATE
14 INJURIES. ROTATION WITHIN FACILITIES AND OTHER MEASURES TO BE
15 ABLE TO GUARD AGAINST DEPUTY CLIQUES AND CREATION OF
16 OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADVANCEMENT WITHIN THE CUSTODY ENVIRONMENT
17 AND A CAREER IN CUSTODY. ALSO, I'VE SET A CLEAR TONE OF
18 ACCOUNTABILITY AND MADE MY EXPECTATIONS OF OUR PERSONNEL TO
19 MAINTAIN THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF PROFESSIONALISM. I'M ALSO
20 PERSONALLY INVOLVED IN ENGAGING IN DISCIPLINARY DECISIONS.
21 THERE IS, HOWEVER, STILL CRITICAL WORK IN PROGRESS AND ONGOING
22 WORK TO BE DONE. SOME OF THOSE AREAS INCLUDE ONGOING TRAINING
23 ENHANCEMENTS, INCLUDING IN ETHICS AND WORKING WITH THE
24 MENTALLY ILL. IN DECEMBER, A TREMENDOUS MENTAL HEALTH C.I.T.
25 TRAINING AND TRAIN THE TRAINER CLASS WAS HELD IN PARTNERSHIP

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1 WITH THE N.I.C. I HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO GO TO THE GRADUATION
2 FOR THAT AND JUST IN TALKING TO OUR OWN PERSONNEL WITHIN THE
3 ORGANIZATION PROFOUND DIFFERENCES IN THE WAY THAT THEY HAD
4 BEEN TRAINED PREVIOUSLY. MANY CITED INCIDENTS WHERE IF THEY
5 HAD THIS TRAINING IN THEIR OWN PERSONAL LIVES, THEY WOULD HAVE
6 BEEN ABLE TO DEAL BETTER WITH PEOPLE WHO HAD MENTAL HEALTH
7 CHALLENGES. SO THE TAKE-AWAY FROM THAT WAS VERY PERSONALLY
8 FELT BUT ALSO VERY VALUABLE TO WHERE WE ARE MOVING FORWARD SO
9 EXCITED ABOUT THAT. A GREATER FOCUS, AS WELL, ON SUPERVISION,
10 DATA TRACKING AND TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION, THE USE OF BODY
11 SCANNERS, A FULLY SEPARATE CUSTODY TRACKING SYSTEM FOR INMATE
12 GRIEVANCES, AND A FULL BUILD OUT OF THE AUDIT AND INSPECTIONS
13 FUNCTION THAT'S BEING PHASED IN AS FUNDING BECOMES AVAILABLE.
14 RESOURCES WILL BE NEEDED TO BRING A NUMBER OF THESE AREAS TO
15 FRUITION. SO THIS WORK OVERALL IS VITALLY IMPORTANT TO OUR
16 DEPARTMENT, THOSE ENTRUSTED TO OUR CARE AND THE ENTIRE
17 COMMUNITY. I'M COMMITTED TO PRIORITIZING CUSTODY AND ENSURING
18 THAT WE WORK WITH THE BOARD AS WELL AS OUR COUNTY PARTNERS TO
19 FULLY IMPLEMENT ALL OF THE C.C.J.V. RECOMMENDATIONS AND ALSO
20 TO WORK WITH OUR JUSTICE SYSTEM PARTNERS TO DEVELOP NEW
21 APPROACHES TO PREVENTION AND DIVERSION FOR THOSE THAT NEEDN'T
22 BE IN OUR JAILS AND CAN SAFELY BE RETURNED TO THE COMMUNITY.
23 WE CAN GET THIS RIGHT, AND I'M COMMITTED TO ENSURING THAT WE
24 DO GET THIS RIGHT, WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE BOARD. LET

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1 ME NOW KICK IT OVER TO ASSISTANT SHERIFF MCDONALD TO PROVIDE A
2 MORE DETAILED UPDATE. TERRI?

3

4 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** THANK YOU, SHERIFF. I.G. DO YOU
5 WANT TO GO FIRST OR WANT ME TO GO AHEAD AND DO YOUR
6 PRESENTATION?

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8 **MAX HUNTSMAN:** WHY DON'T YOU GO AHEAD.

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10 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** GOOD MORNING, MR. MAYOR, MEMBERS
11 OF THE BOARD, THANK YOU SO MUCH. TERRI MCDONALD, ASSISTANT
12 SHERIFF OVER CUSTODY DIVISION THE LAST TIME WE MET, I WAS
13 ASKED TO FOCUS SPECIFICALLY AND PRIMARILY ON THE OUTSTANDING
14 ITEMS ON THE REPORT. AND SO IN FRONT OF YOU, YOU'LL SEE THE
15 VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE C.C.J.V. REPORT AND WHERE WE ARE. I'M
16 GOING TO THANK THE BOARD. THE FUNDING IS IN PLACE AND HAS BEEN
17 ALLOCATED FOR EACH OF THESE AREAS. BUT THE TRUTH OF THE MATTER
18 IS: SOME OF THEM JUST TAKE LONGER TO DO. SO I'LL COVER EACH
19 ONE AND PLEASE STOP ME IF YOU WANT AS WE MOVE FORWARD. SO SOME
20 OF THE CHALLENGES ARE JUST DATA TRACKING, HOW WE TRACK DATA.
21 AND SO WE WERE ASKED TO DO A MORE COMPREHENSIVE STREAMLINED
22 AND SOLE SOURCE DATA TRACKING SYSTEM. WE ARE ON TARGET FOR
23 THAT. BUT YOU CAN SEE THAT'S REALLY DECEMBER OF 2016. SO
24 UNFORTUNATELY I'M NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO COME IN EACH QUARTER
25 AND SAY MAGIC HAS HAPPENED SINCE WE LAST SPOKE. BUT THE I.T.

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1 INFRASTRUCTURE IS IN PLACE NOW, AND WE CONTINUE TO DEVELOP THE
2 PROGRAMS. THIS ULTIMATELY WILL REPLACE TWO OTHER SYSTEMS THAT
3 WE UTILIZE TO TRACK VARIOUS LEVELS OF INFORMATION AS WE GO
4 FORWARD AND THEY'LL BE REFERRED TO AS CARTS: CUSTODY AUTOMATED
5 REPORTING TRACKING SYSTEM. BODY SCANNERS, WE WERE ORIGINALLY
6 FUNDED FOR APPROXIMATELY 20 BODY SCANNERS. WE WENT OUT WITH A
7 PILOT WITH 3 OF THEM BECAUSE ONE OF MY PRIMARY CONCERNS IS WE
8 GOT THE APPROVAL TO DO THE EQUIPMENT, BUT WE DIDN'T GET STAFF
9 TO IMPLEMENT THE EQUIPMENT. SO WE STARTED WITH THE PILOT. WE
10 PUT TWO IN THE MALE FACILITIES WHERE WE HAVE PRIMARY INTAKE
11 INTO THE SYSTEM, I.R.C., THE INMATE RECEPTION CENTER FOR
12 MALES, AS WELL AS THE COURT LINE BOOKING AREA. AND WE JUST GOT
13 THE ONE ON THE FEMALE FACILITY AT C.R.D.F. SINCE THAT TIME,
14 WE'VE HAD SOME CHALLENGES. SOME ARE JUST TRAINING. SOME ARE
15 EQUIPMENT CHALLENGES. BUT ALL IN ALL, THE SYSTEMS ARE PROVING
16 POSITIVE. YOU CAN SEE THAT WE'VE HAD IN THE MEN'S SYSTEM,
17 WE'VE HAD OVER 3,000 INMATES SCANNED IN A VERY SHORT PERIOD OF
18 TIME. AND THE WOMEN'S SYSTEM ABOUT 585. WE FOUND SOME BULLETS.
19 WE FOUND SOMEWHERE HEROIN BUT ALL IN ALL NOT LIKE MAJOR-MAJOR
20 CONTRABAND IS COMING IN THE ENTRY PORTAL AREAS. SOME OF THE
21 CHALLENGES I MENTIONED IS THAT THEY'RE STAFF INTENSIVE. AND I
22 KNOW THAT IT'S KIND OF DIFFICULT TO QUANTIFY, BUT IT'S MUCH
23 LIKE MOVING THROUGH THE AIRPORT SCREENING MECHANISM, THAT YOU
24 HAVE FLOW PROBLEMS. THERE ARE TIMES IN WHICH LOTS OF INMATES
25 ARE COMING IN IN BUSES BECAUSE COURT'S OVER OR STATE LINE'S

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1 COMING IN. AND THERE ARE OTHER TIMES IN WHICH THE FLOW'S
2 PRETTY LOW. SO WE'VE HAD TO LEARN TO ADJUST TO THE EBB AND
3 FLOW OF POPULATION COMING IN. THE EQUIPMENT'S LARGE. IT TAKES
4 UP AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF FLOOR SPACE. THESE JAILS WEREN'T
5 BUILT WITH THIS EQUIPMENT IN MIND. SO FINDING LOCATIONS IN
6 WHICH WE CAN RUN THIS EQUIPMENT AND PLACE THE EQUIPMENT HAS
7 BEEN A CHALLENGE. WE DID HAVE A SCANNER MALFUNCTION AT THE
8 RECEPTION CENTER. WE GOT WATER ON IT BECAUSE OF THE ROOF. AND
9 THE SYSTEM WENT DOWN AND IT TOOK QUITE A BIT OF TIME TO GET
10 THE VENDOR TO REPAIR IT. IT'S SINCE BEEN REPAIRED.
11 UNFORTUNATELY IT WAS DOWN LONGER THAN I PERSONALLY HAD
12 REALIZED AND I PROBABLY COULD HAVE GOTTEN INVOLVED SOONER TO
13 GET IT UP AND RUNNING BUT IT'S UP NOW. WE WERE ASKED TO TAKE A
14 LOOK AT WHERE WE HAD PLACED DEPUTIES AND CUSTODY ASSISTANTS
15 DOING CLERICAL FUNCTIONS. WE WORKED WITH THE C.E.O.'S OFFICE
16 AND FOUND 19 POSITIONS THAT WE HAD PLACED DEPUTIES AND CUSTODY
17 ASSISTANTS IN THAT WOULD BE BETTER MANAGED BY LOWER
18 EXPENDITURE AND PROBABLY MORE APPROPRIATE STAFF. C.E.O.'S
19 OFFICE AND THE BOARD AUTHORIZED 19 POSITIONS. AND WE'RE IN THE
20 PROCESS OF FILLING THOSE. WE SHOULD BE COMPLETE WITH THAT
21 SECTION BY APRIL 15TH. AND THOSE STAFF THAT ARE IN THE
22 POSITION ARE BEING PLACED BACK INTO THE JAILS WHERE THEY MORE
23 APPROPRIATELY BELONG. THE SHERIFF HAD MENTIONED THE IMPACT
24 UNIT. THIS IS AN INTERNAL AUDITING UNIT. THE BOARD HAS GIVEN
25 US POSITIONS IN A THREE-PHASE HIRING. PHASE 1 WAS COMPLETED

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1 LAST YEAR. PHASE 2, WE'RE STILL IN THE PROCESS OF PHASE 2
2 HIRING. THAT SIMPLY MEANS THIS FISCAL YEAR. TWO CHALLENGES.
3 ONE HAS BEEN GETTING THE HEAD COMPLIANCE OFFICER SELECTED AND
4 CHOSEN. WE HAVE THAT PERSON. THEY'RE GOING THROUGH BACKGROUND
5 NOW. AND SO HOPEFULLY THAT GETS COMPLETED PRETTY QUICKLY. AND
6 THEN JUST A TESTING PROCESS FOR A NEW SPECIALIZED
7 CLASSIFICATION OF AUDITORS. AND WE'RE IN THE PROCESS OF DOING
8 THAT. AND THEN PHASE 3 WILL BEGIN IN JULY OF 2015. TRAINING
9 WAS A BIG PORTION OF C.C.J.V. YOU CAN SEE WE HAD SOME JUNE
10 2015 GOALS. SO THE FIRST ONE INTERACTING WITH MENTALLY ILL
11 INMATES. WE'RE AT 61 PERCENT FOR 60 PERCENT, 49 PERCENT. AND
12 YOU COULD SEE ALL THE WAY DOWN THE ROW. I WOULD HAVE LITTLE
13 CONCERN ABOUT HITTING THESE TARGETS BUT FOR THE FACT THAT
14 UNDER ROSAS, SOME OF THESE CLASSES ARE GOING TO NEED TO BE RE-
15 TOOLED. SO WE'LL HAVE TO DEAL WITH THESE WITHIN THE ROSAS TIME
16 FRAMES. BUT WE WERE ON TARGET UNTIL ROSAS CAME ALONG. ONE OF
17 THE ISSUES THE SHERIFF MENTIONED WAS OUR DELAY AND QUALITY OF
18 INTERNAL AFFAIRS INVESTIGATION. THE BOARD'S AUTHORIZED HIRING
19 FOR BOTH INTERNAL AFFAIRS AND I.C.I.B. YOU CAN SEE ABOVE THAT
20 WE FILLED ALMOST ALL THE POSITIONS. THE I.A.B. CASELOAD IS NOW
21 DOWN TO 10 CASES PER INVESTIGATOR. IT WAS SIGNIFICANTLY HIGHER
22 WHEN C.C.J.V. BEGAN. AND IT'S TAKING NINE MONTHS PER CASE.
23 WE'RE TRYING TO, IN THE NEXT PHASE, GET THAT DOWN TO
24 APPROXIMATELY SIX MONTHS PER CASE SO THAT WE CAN GET THESE
25 I.A.'S CLEARED AND GET MOVING WITH EMPLOYEE DISCIPLINE OR GET

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1 THEM OUT OF THE ISSUE OF DISCIPLINE AND THEY CAN FOCUS MORE
2 ACUTELY ON THEIR JOBS. I.C.I.B. ARE THE CRIMINAL
3 INVESTIGATIONS. AND YOU SEE, AS WELL, WE'RE DOWN TO LESS THAN
4 FIVE MONTHS. AND WITH PHASE 3, 13 ITEMS WE'RE GOING TO TRY TO
5 GET IT TO LESS THAN 90 DAYS. INMATE GRIEVANCES, I MENTIONED
6 THIS ON PROBABLY EVERY TIME I'M HERE. IT IS A SUBSTANTIAL
7 CHALLENGE FOR THE JAIL SYSTEM. THE GRIEVANCES IN THE COUNTY
8 DON'T MEET NATIONAL STANDARDS FOR GRIEVANCES. THE
9 INFRASTRUCTURE IS VERY DIFFICULT. IT HAS COME UP UNDER ROSAS.
10 SO IT'S ONE OF THE ISSUES THAT WE HAVE TO SOLVE, TOO, IN THE
11 ROSAS. WE HAVE ASKED FOR RESOURCES TO DO IT. THE RESOURCES
12 INCLUDE I.T. INFRASTRUCTURE AND STAFF. BUT THIS GRIEVANCE ITEM
13 PROBABLY WOULD BE MORE APPROPRIATELY ANSWER 2 UNDER THE ROSAS
14 SETTLEMENT THAN O.I.G. BECAUSE THEY'RE GOING TO KIND OF GIVE
15 US LEADERSHIP ON HOW THEY'D LIKE TO SEE THAT CHANGED. C.C.T.V.
16 SYSTEM. THESE ARE THE VIDEO CAMERAS WITHIN THE JAILS. WE
17 EXPANDED WITHIN THE BASIN JAIL, THAT'S I.R.C., MEN'S CENTRAL
18 JAIL AND TWIN TOWERS. WE FOUND, AFTER WE DID THE ORIGINAL
19 DEPLOYMENT, WE HAD BLIND SPOTS. SO WE PUT ADDITIONAL CAMERAS
20 IN THERE. YOU CAN SEE WE ADDED 354 CAMERAS. THEY ARE IN PLACE.
21 WE'RE FINALIZING THE STORAGE TO THOSE CAMERAS. BUT NO
22 SIGNIFICANT BARRIERS THERE. IT'LL ACTUALLY HELP US TO EVALUATE
23 FORCE, ALSO IDENTIFY CRIMINAL CONDUCT BY INMATES IN THE
24 FACILITY FOR PROSECUTION. AND IT ALSO ALLOWS US TO CLEAR
25 ALLEGATIONS OF FORCE THAT WERE NOT ACCURATE ALLEGATIONS FROM

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1 INMATES. WE ARE NOW MOVING INTO THE WOMEN'S FACILITY. WE'LL
2 HAVE THE WOMEN'S FACILITY TOTALLY DONE BY 2015. AND WE'RE
3 STARTING THE UPGRADES AND INSTALLATION AT P.D.C. TOWARDS THE
4 END OF 2015 AND COMPLETE THOSE JAILS UP THERE. THERE'S FOUR OF
5 THEM BY 2018. I'M SORRY. I LOOKED AT THIS AND THERE'S NO
6 HEADER ON THESE CATEGORIES. BUT THIS IS REALLY JUST A SUMMARY.
7 AND I THINK IT GOT ELIMINATED WHEN WE RE-DID THE SLIDE. IT'S A
8 SUMMARY OF THE VARIOUS STAFFING ISSUES. THE FIRST COLUMN IS
9 WHAT THE TOTAL STAFFING WAS. THE SECOND COLUMN WOULD BE PHASE
10 ONE FUNDING, PHASE 2 FUNDING, THE THIRD COLUMN PHASE THREE
11 FUNDINGS, THE FOURTH COLUMN. THE LAST COLUMN IS WHERE WE
12 HAVEN'T FILLED YET BUT WE'RE FUNDED FOR. SO IF YOU SEE 4.12, I
13 MENTIONED THE IMPACT ITEMS, THERE'S 13 THAT WE HAVEN'T FILLED
14 YET. CUSTODY TRAINING, THERE'S ONE POSITION WE HAVEN'T FILLED.
15 6.05 ARE THE SERGEANTS. IT'S 26 ITEMS. WE HAVEN'T FILLED A
16 SERGEANT, BUT WE'RE FILLING THE POST ON OVERTIME. AND SO THE
17 POST IS FILLED. WE JUST DON'T HAVE ENOUGH SERGEANT BODIES
18 RIGHT NOW TO FILL EVERY POST, BUT WE'RE COVERING THE POSITIONS
19 THROUGH OVERTIME.

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21 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THE PEOPLE WHO ARE OCCUPYING THOSE
22 POSITIONS, WHO'S OCCUPYING THEIR POSITION THAT THEY OUGHT TO
23 BE RESPONSIBLE FOR?

24

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1 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** SO THEY'RE WORKING THEIR NORMAL
2 SHIFT, MR. MAYOR, AND THEN THEY'RE DOING AN OVERTIME SHIFT
3 AFTERWARDS. SO, FOR EXAMPLE, THEY WORKDAY SHIFT IN TWIN TOWERS
4 AND THEN P.M. SHIFT ON AN OVERTIME SHIFT, THEY'RE WORKING A
5 POST.

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7 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SO THEY REVERT TO A SERGEANT STATUS
8 FOR THE P.M.?

9

10 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** YES. AND THEN I.A.B., ONE
11 POSITION. SO ALL IN ALL, WE'VE DONE A PRETTY GOOD JOB ON
12 GETTING HIRING DONE OF ALL THE POSITIONS THAT YOU'VE ALLOCATED
13 FOR US. A COUPLE OF ISSUES CAME UP DURING THE O.I.G. REPORT
14 AND I WANTED TO GIVE A QUICK REPORT BACK ON USE OF FORCE. I
15 REPORTED LAST TIME THAT I WAS HERE THAT IN GENERAL WE WERE UP
16 ABOUT 5 PERCENT ON THE TOTAL NUMBER OF USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS
17 OVER THE PRIOR YEAR. THAT HELD TRUE FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR.
18 TWIN TOWERS, THE MENTAL HEALTH FACILITY, FORCE IS DOWN, BUT
19 MEN'S CENTRAL JAIL, C.R.D.F., UP AT PITCHES DETENTION CENTER,
20 AT NORTH N.C.C.F. FORCE WAS UP SLIGHTLY. IT TRENDED UP
21 SIGNIFICANTLY DURING THE SUMMER, WHICH YOU WOULD FIND IN
22 PATROL, AS WELL. IT'S PRIMARILY RESCUE FORCE. BUT IT IS AN
23 AREA IN WHICH WE ARE PAYING ATTENTION TO. IT HAS TRENDED DOWN
24 SO FAR DECEMBER/JANUARY, BUT WE'RE CONTINUING TO WATCH IT. THE
25 O.I.G. REPORT HAD A COUPLE OF AREAS OF CONCERN THAT I SHOULD

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1 SPEAK TO. ONE OF THEM HAD TO DO WITH THE TIMELINESS AND THE
2 QUALITY OF PROBATIONARY PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS. THIS IS AN
3 AREA IN WHICH WE AGREED TO DO A SIX-MONTH EVALUATION ON
4 PROBATIONARY EMPLOYEES. AND, FRANKLY, IT'S ON ME. WE DIDN'T DO
5 A GOOD JOB OF TRACKING IT AT THE UNIT LEVEL. SO EACH JAIL WAS
6 SUPPOSED TO TRACK IT ON THEIR OWN. WE DIDN'T CENTRALIZE THE
7 TRACKING. I JUST LOSS SIGHT OF IT. SO WE'LL IMPROVE THAT
8 TRACKING AT THE SIX-MONTH LEVEL. THE OTHER HAS TO DO WITH THE
9 QUALITY OF THE FINAL PROBATIONARY EVALUATION. IT'S AN AREA
10 THAT WE HAVE TO CONTINUE TO WORK ON. IT'S BEEN STRAINED BY
11 TURNOVER OF SERGEANTS. BUT ONE IN WHICH WE'LL HAVE TO CONTINUE
12 TO IMPROVE. AND I REMAIN AVAILABLE FOR ANY QUESTIONS THAT YOU
13 MAY HAVE.

14

15 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THE UNFILLED POSITIONS THAT YOU HAVE,
16 WHEN IS YOUR NEXT ACADEMY?

17

18 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** THAT'S A GOOD QUESTION. WE GOT
19 ONE GRADUATING NEXT WEEK. WE'RE TRYING TO RUN AS MANY
20 ACADEMIES AS WE CAN. WE RAN SIX LAST YEAR. WHAT WE'RE TRYING
21 TO DO, THOUGH, IS TO HIRE CUSTODY SERGEANTS. SO THESE ARE
22 CUSTODY SERGEANTS THAT TAKE THE TEST FOR CUSTODY SERGEANT.
23 THAT NEXT EXAM THE RESULTS ARE COMING UP IN THE SPRING. SO
24 WE'RE HOLDING HIRING THE NEW CUSTODY SERGEANTS UNTIL WE GET
25 THE EXAM RESULTS.

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2 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** BUT FOR THE DEPARTMENT, FOR THE SWORN
3 DEPUTY, FACTORING IN ATTRITION, HOW MANY VACANCIES ARE YOU
4 PROJECTING YOU WILL HAVE? AND WHEN IS THE ACADEMY TO BE
5 SCHEDULED FOR THOSE REPLACEMENTS?

6

7 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** I'LL HAVE TO GET THAT FOR YOU,
8 SIR. I DON'T HAVE IT. BUT WE WILL GET IT TO YOU. IT WILL BE A
9 SIGNIFICANT ISSUE FOR THE COUNTY ACADEMIES UNDER ROSAS AND
10 D.O.J., KEEPING UP WITH ATTRITION AND GROWTH WILL BE A
11 CHALLENGE FOR US, BUT WE'LL GET TO YOU WHAT THE ATTRITION AND
12 THE NEW ACADEMY.

13

14 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** I WOULD SAY IN THE PAST, THERE WAS
15 HIRING OF MANY PEOPLE WHO OUGHT NOT TO HAVE BEEN HIRED BECAUSE
16 THEY DID NOT HAVE THE -- LET'S SAY THE INTEGRITY OR THE
17 QUALIFICATIONS TO BE HIRED IN THE FIRST PLACE. THERE WAS A LOT
18 OF MISTAKES BEING MADE. AND IT WOULD SEEM TO ME THAT YOU WANT
19 TO HAVE ON GOING INTERVIEWING, INVESTIGATING BACKGROUND CHECKS
20 SO THAT WHEN THE ACADEMY DOES OPEN, YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO OUT
21 AND THEN START LOOKING FOR CANDIDATES; THEY'RE ALREADY IN
22 PLACE AND YOU CAN BRING THEM IN. BECAUSE I KNOW SOME OF OUR
23 SMALLER DEPARTMENTS USING RIO HONDO, ET CETERA, ARE HAVING
24 POLICE OFFICERS GOING THROUGH THE ACADEMY AND THEN THEY GO TO
25 THE DEPARTMENT, ONE OF THE DEPARTMENTS.

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2 **SHERIFF JIM MCDONNELL:** RIGHT. THAT'S AN ON GOING CHALLENGE.
3 WE'RE COMPETING WITH ALL THE OTHER AGENCIES, TOO, WHO ARE ALSO
4 HIRING AT THE SAME TIME. I THINK WE'LL BE IN A BETTER POSITION
5 MOVING FORWARD WITH THE DUAL TRACK SYSTEM. A LOT OF TIMES
6 YOU'D HAVE CANDIDATES WHO LOOK AT THE VARIETY OF DIFFERENT
7 DEPARTMENTS WHO ARE HIRING AND THEY WOULD COME TO THE SHERIFFS
8 AND THEY WOULD SEE THEY WOULD HAVE TO DO SIGNIFICANT TIME IN
9 CUSTODY AND THEY WOULD JUST CROSS THAT OFF THEIR LIST AND GO
10 SOMEWHERE ELSE. SO THE OPPORTUNITY COST FOR LEADERSHIP AND
11 GOOD DEPUTIES WAS SIGNIFICANT. SO BY ADDRESSING THAT ISSUE, I
12 THINK WE'LL BE MORE COMPETITIVE WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS AS WE
13 MOVE FORWARD.

14

15 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** AND ON YOUR REPORT TO US WHERE YOU
16 INDICATED THE NUMBER OF ITEMS FROM THE RECOMMENDATIONS FROM
17 THE JAIL COMMISSION, THE 60 THAT WERE BEING RECOMMENDED, YOU
18 HAVE 45 HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED, THEN YOU HAVE 10 PARTIALLY AND
19 5 IN PROGRESS. PERHAPS YOU CAN GIVE US A TIMELINE? I KNOW
20 THERE WERE SOME DISCUSSIONS ON THOSE 60 RECOMMENDATIONS. THERE
21 ARE 63, BUT 3 OF THOSE ARE NOT RELATED TO THE SHERIFF'S
22 DEPARTMENT. THERE WERE SOME POINTS BEING RAISED WHERE IT COULD
23 NOT BE IMPLEMENTED AS BEING SUGGESTED BECAUSE OF CERTAIN
24 REASONS. BUT WE COULD HAVE KIND OF A TIMELINE AND A LITTLE
25 MORE DISCUSSION SO THAT ALL BOARD MEMBERS AND OUR TWO NEW

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1 MEMBERS UNDERSTAND WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING, WHERE WE ARE AND
2 HOW WE'RE GOING TO IMPLEMENT THOSE RECOMMENDATIONS.

3

4 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** SURE.

5

6 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** QUESTIONS OF MEMBERS? ACTUALLY, YOU
7 WERE GOING TO MAKE YOUR STATEMENT?

8

9 **MAX HUNTSMAN:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR. MAYOR. IF THERE ARE NO
10 QUESTIONS DIRECTLY TO THAT?

11

12 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

13

14 **SUP. SOLIS:** I APPRECIATE YOUR PRESENTATION. I HAVE A LOT OF
15 QUESTIONS, BUT I THINK I CAN PROBABLY FOLLOW UP WITH YOUR
16 STAFF. I THINK THAT, FIRST OF ALL, I WANT TO COMMEND OUR NEW
17 SHERIFF. AND OBVIOUSLY THE TEAM THERE WORKING TOGETHER TO TRY
18 TO GET A HANDLE ON SOME OF THESE AREAS, AND ESPECIALLY WITH
19 THE CURRENT INVESTIGATIONS THAT ARE ONGOING NOW, PARTICULARLY
20 AT CENTURY STATION AND ALL THOSE ISSUES, I WANT TO COMMEND YOU
21 FOR THAT. AND ALSO WE'LL WANT TO GO BACK TO CUSTODY TRAINING
22 AND THE LENGTH OF TIME BECAUSE I KNOW I'VE HAD SOME
23 DISCUSSIONS WITH FOLKS ABOUT THAT. AND WHAT A BETTER TRACK
24 MIGHT BE SET. WHAT'S THE LENGTH OF TIME? WHAT KIND OF REAL
25 SCREENING OCCURS SO THAT WE CAN MAKE THOSE BETTER DECISIONS

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1 AND GET THE RIGHT FOLKS IN THE RIGHT TYPE OF CAREER PATH.
2 THAT'S OF GRAVE CONCERN. BUT ALSO MOVING PEOPLE UP THE CAREER
3 LADDER TO BECOME SERGEANTS WHEN THEY ARE GOING TO BE INVOLVED
4 IN CUSTODY. WHAT ARE SOME OF THOSE CHANGES THAT ARE GOING TO
5 BE HAPPENING THAT ARE NECESSARY? I UNDERSTAND THAT'S PROBABLY
6 A GRAVE CONCERN TO MANY OF US. AND THEN THE SCANNERS, I KNOW
7 MY STAFF HAS RAISED THAT ISSUE. I GUESS I JUST WANT TO
8 UNDERSTAND BETTER HOW WE CAN TRY TO GET TO ANY ISSUES WHERE WE
9 HAVE COMPLAINTS FROM INMATES REGARDING UNNECESSARY SEARCHES.
10 WHY MAYBE THERE WAS A NEED TO HAVE THE SCANNERS AS WELL FOR
11 OTHER REASONS SO THAT, FOR EXAMPLE, WOMEN WOULDN'T HAVE TO BE
12 MISTREATED IN A DIFFERENT MANNER WHEN THEY WERE BEING BODY
13 SEARCHED, WHAT HAVE YOU. SO I THINK THOSE ARE VALID ISSUES TO
14 RAISE. MAYBE WE CAN GET BACK WITH YOU AND YOU CAN FILL US IN
15 MORE ON THAT. I UNDERSTAND THAT YOU DON'T HAVE THE STAFF TO
16 MAN ALL THE SCANNERS NOW, BUT THERE ARE OTHER ISSUES. I LOOK
17 FORWARD TO WORKING WITH THE SHERIFF. THANK YOU FOR THE TOUR
18 YOU PROVIDED ME EARLY ON BEFORE I BECAME SUPERVISOR. IT WAS
19 VERY, VERY IMPORTANT FOR ME TO UNDERSTAND MUCH OF WHAT I HAD
20 BEEN HEARING ABOUT AND HAD BEEN READING ABOUT. SO I APPRECIATE
21 THAT OPPORTUNITY.

22
23 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SUPERVISOR KUEHL?

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1 **SUP. KUEHL:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR. IT'S INTERESTING TO ME THAT
2 THE PHRASE "THERE'S A NEW SHERIFF IN TOWN" HAS COME TO MEAN
3 MORE THAN THERE'S A NEW SHERIFF IN TOWN WHEN PEOPLE SAY IT.
4 AND NORMALLY USE THE PHRASE TO MEAN THERE'S SOMETHING NEW
5 HAPPENING. AND MOST OF THE TIME THEY THEY MEAN THERE'S
6 SOMETHING GOOD NEW HAPPENING, MAYBE NOT ALWAYS. IN THIS CASE I
7 THINK IT IS THE CASE. AND AS YOU SAY, SHERIFF, A LOT OF WORK
8 STILL REMAINS. AND I WANT TO COMMEND YOU AND YOUR STAFF. AND
9 CERTAINLY LOOK FORWARD TO NEXT REPORT, AS WELL. BECAUSE IT
10 SEEMS AS THOUGH OUR TRYING TO KNIT ALL OF THIS TOGETHER WITH
11 THE INSPECTOR GENERAL WITH THE NEW PROCEDURES AND PERSONNEL
12 WITH THE OVERSIGHT COMMISSION THAT COULD INDEED BE A
13 RESTORATION OF TRUST AND EVEN A FEELING OF IMPRESSIVENESS,
14 PERHAPS, ABOUT OUR SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. I HAVE A QUESTION
15 ABOUT THE SCANNERS. I WAS STRUCK, OF COURSE, THAT WE SCANNED
16 3,000 PEOPLE AND WE FIND A BULLET. WE SCAN 600 PEOPLE AND WE
17 FIND, VERY IMPORTANTLY, SOME HEROIN. BUT WHEN SUPERVISOR SOLIS
18 WAS TALKING I WONDER DO THE SCANNERS HELP IN ANY WAY WITH THE
19 NEED FOR INVASIVE SEARCHES? SO THAT OBVIOUSLY SUPERVISOR SOLIS
20 AND I HAVE RECEIVED MORE THAN ONE REPORT FROM WOMEN AND THEIR
21 FAMILIES WHO HAVE GONE THROUGH SOME VERY INVASIVE SEARCHES,
22 AND MORE THAN ONCE IN ONE TRIP, TO COURT AND BACK, ET CETERA.
23 AND I UNDERSTAND THE NEED FOR SAFETY AND PRECAUTION, BUT I
24 WONDER WHETHER THE INVESTMENT THAT WE'RE MAKING IN THE

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1 SCANNERS AND PERSONNEL HELP IN ANY WAY WITH OUR CONCERN ABOUT
2 THOSE, THE NEED FOR THOSE SEARCHES.

3

4 **ASST. SHERIFF TERRI MCDONALD:** YES, MA'AM. THE BODY SCANNERS DO
5 ALLOW US NOT TO DO AN UNCLOTHED. BODY SEARCH, WHICH IS REALLY
6 FANTASTIC FOR ALL OF US. IN THE WOMEN'S FACILITY, THEY'RE ALL
7 OFFERED THE SCANNER. A PREGNANT FEMALE MAY CHOOSE NOT TO DO IT
8 FOR FEAR OF RADIATION EXPOSURE. BUT IN THE WOMEN'S FACILITY,
9 THAT'S WHAT WE USE THERE NOW, WHICH IS GREAT. AND I THINK IT'S
10 IMPORTANT FOR EVERYBODY TO UNDERSTAND: WE'RE GOING TO CONTINUE
11 TO EXPAND THE SCANNERS. I THINK THERE'S BEEN A LITTLE
12 MISCOMMUNICATION ON MY PART, WHICH IS RIGHT NOW WE'RE JUST
13 TRYING TO FOCUS ON THE ROSAS- D.O.J. BUT AS SOON AS WE GET
14 THROUGH THAT IMPORTANT PROJECT, WE'LL GO BACK TO FIGURE OUT
15 HOW WE BEST EXPAND THE SCANNERS IN A RESPONSIBLE WAY. SO LONG
16 ANSWER, SHORT QUESTION, YES, IT DOES HELP SIGNIFICANTLY WITH
17 THE UNCLOTHED BODY SEARCH ISSUE.

18

19 **SUP. KUEHL:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

20

21 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** NEXT?

22

23 **MAX UNTSMAN:** THANK YOU, SIR, MR. MAYOR, SUPERVISORS, I'M GOING
24 ASK ASSISTANT INSPECTOR GENERAL KATIE BELTZ IN CHARGE OF
25 MONITORING AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH TO SAY A BRIEF FEW WORDS

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1 ABOUT THE REPORT AND THEN WE CAN ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU
2 MIGHT HAVE.

3

4 **CATHLEEN BELTZ:** GOOD AFTERNOON. MY NAME IS CATHLEEN BELTZ,
5 ASSISTANT SECRETARY INSPECTOR GENERAL, L.A. COUNTY OFFICE OF
6 THE INSPECTOR GENERAL. SINCE THE O.I.G. SUBMITTED OUR FIRST
7 STATUS REPORT AND MONITORING PLAN RELATED TO THE THIRD QUARTER
8 2014, THE DEPARTMENT HAS INDEED MADE ADDITIONAL PROGRESS IN
9 SEVERAL AREAS. THERE ARE ITEMS IN OUR REPORT YOU'LL SEE
10 REGARDING OUR MONITORING OF THE C.C.J.V. RECOMMENDATION
11 IMPLEMENTATION. THERE ARE ITEMS IN OUR REPORT THAT ARE
12 IDENTIFIED AS PARTIALLY IMPLEMENTED OR IN PROGRESS. AND THOSE
13 ARE THE ITEMS RELATED TO TRAINING AND STAFFING, ET CETERA,
14 THAT YOU JUST HEARD ABOUT FROM THE SHERIFF AND THE ASSISTANT
15 SHERIFF. THERE ARE ALSO ITEMS, HOWEVER, THAT HAVE BEEN
16 IDENTIFIED AS IMPLEMENTED IN THE REPORT BUT WHICH THE O.I.G.
17 HAS ALSO IDENTIFIED AS REQUIRING ADDITIONAL MONITORING. AND
18 THAT MONITORING IS LARGELY FOR THE PURPOSES OF INSURING THAT
19 THE ITEMS HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED FULLY, THAT THEY'VE BEEN
20 WHOLLY INCORPORATED INTO PATROL AND CUSTODIAL PRACTICE AND TO
21 ENSURE THAT THOSE ITEMS HAVE BEEN IMPLEMENTED IN A WAY THAT'S
22 CONSISTENT WITH THE UNDERLYING PRINCIPLES OF THE C.C.J.V.
23 RECOMMENDATIONS. NOW THAT THE ROSAS SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND
24 IMPLEMENTATION PLAN HAS BEEN FINALIZED THE O.I.G. IS IN THE
25 PROCESS OF IDENTIFYING AREAS OF OVERLAP BETWEEN C.C.J.V. AND

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1 ROSAS. AND OUR PLAN AT THIS POINT IS TO COORDINATE CLOSELY
2 WITH THE ROSAS MONITORS AND WITH THE DEPARTMENT. WE WANT TO
3 WORK DILIGENTLY TO AVOID ANY DUPLICATION OF EFFORT AND AVOID
4 THE POSSIBILITY OF PLACING UNDUE BURDEN ON THE DEPARTMENT OR
5 ON THE COUNTY AND OUR MONITORING OF THESE ITEMS. THAT'S NOT TO
6 SAY THAT WE WON'T MONITOR THE C.C.J.V. RECOMMENDATIONS THAT
7 OVERLAP WITH ROSAS, BUT, RATHER, WE'LL COORDINATE WITH THE
8 DEPARTMENT TO LIKELY PLACE MOST OF THE EMPHASIS IN OUR
9 MONITORING ON THOSE ITEMS WHICH CAN BEST BE EVALUATED AND
10 MONITORED THROUGH REAL TIME MONITORING OR CONSISTENT PRESENCE
11 ON SITE IN FACILITIES. THERE REMAINS OUTSTANDING THE ISSUE OF
12 O.I.G. ACCESS TO PERSONNEL RECORDS AND OTHER INFORMATION THAT
13 IS AT THIS TIME CREATING A SITUATION WHEREBY MUCH OF OUR
14 MONITORING IS FORESTALLED. FOR EXAMPLE, THE DEPARTMENT HAS
15 BEEN EXCEPTIONALLY DILIGENT AND PROACTIVE IN REPORTING TO THE
16 O.I.G. INCIDENTS OF EXCESSIVE USE OF FORCE OR PRISONER
17 HARASSMENT. AND, AS WELL, WHEN THE O.I.G. HAS RAISED CONCERNS
18 AROUND THOSE ISSUES, THE DEPARTMENT'S BEEN VERY RESPONSIVE TO
19 THOSE CONCERNS; HOWEVER, BECAUSE MOST OF THESE ISSUES ARE
20 PERSONNEL-RELATED, WELL VIRTUALLY THE SECOND ANY SORT OF
21 INQUIRY OR OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATIVE INVESTIGATION IS TRIGGERED,
22 THE O.I.G. NO LONGER HAS ACCESS TO THAT PROCESS OR INFORMATION
23 AROUND THAT PROCESS. AND WE'RE AT THAT POINT UNABLE TO ASSESS
24 THE QUALITY OF THE DEPARTMENT'S INVESTIGATION OR INQUIRY INTO
25 THESE MATTERS. SO IT ALSO, THEN, RESULTS IN MUCH OF THE

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1 O.I.G.'S CURRENT REPORTING BEING BASED ON DEPARTMENT'S SELF-
2 REPORTING, OR THE O.I.G.'S REVIEW OF SUMMARY DATA OR
3 INFORMATION OR REPRESENTATIONS MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT ON A
4 VARIETY OF ISSUES AS OPPOSED TO THE O.I.G.'S SEPARATE AND
5 THOROUGH REVIEW AND ANALYSIS THAT WOULD BE MUCH MORE
6 CONSISTENT WITH NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED OVERSIGHT METHODS. SO
7 THAT SAID, I'M AVAILABLE, AS WELL, TO RESPOND TO ANY QUESTIONS
8 ABOUT C.C.J.V., THIS REPORT OR IMPLEMENTATION GENERALLY?

9

10 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** ANY QUESTIONS? I WOULD WANT TO THANK
11 YOU. WE HAVE SOME PUBLIC COMMENT. PERHAPS YOU WILL BE ABLE TO
12 HEAR THEM WHEN I CALL THEM UP. BUT THANK YOU, SHERIFF, AND
13 MEMBERS. AND APPRECIATE YOU BEING ON BOARD AND WORKING WITH
14 YOU. LET ME CALL UP DR. GENEVIEVE CLAVREUL. MR. ERIC PREVEN,
15 MR. ARNOLD SACHS.

16

17 **ERIC PREVEN:** YES, IT IS ERIC PREVEN, COUNTY RESIDENT FROM
18 DISTRICT 3. AND IT'S NICE TO SEE SHERIFF MCDONNELL, GOODBYE,
19 SIR, WHO HAS COME TO HIS FIRST MEETING. I HAVE TO SAY I'M A
20 TEENY BIT DISAPPOINTED IN THE REPORT FOR ONE THING. ALL OF THE
21 DATA ABOUT THE USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS THAT ORDINARILY WOULD BE
22 PUBLISHED ON A CHART IS NOW NOT PUBLISHED ON A CHART. THAT
23 CHART IS MISSING AND THAT IS A SERIOUS PROBLEM. WE WANT THAT
24 DATA SO WE CAN TRACK IT REGULARLY. PAGE 12 THAT MS. SHERIFF
25 MCDONALD POINTED TO WAS MISSING ENTIRELY THE TOP HEADING OF

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1 CATEGORY. SO IT WAS AN INELIGIBLE REPORT. THAT'S UNFORTUNATE.
2 ITEM 7.14 IN THE PACKET OF THE SHERIFF DEALS WITH INMATE
3 GRIEVANCES. AND I UNDERSTAND THIS HAS BEEN OVERSEEN NOW BY THE
4 ROSAS AGREEMENT, WHICH IS A DEAL BETWEEN THE A.C.L.U. AND THE
5 COUNTY REGARDING SORT OF A CLASS ACTION FROM INMATES, AND I
6 THINK WE NEED TO SEE THE ROSAS REPORT AND UNDERSTAND WHAT
7 THOSE PROVISIONS ARE SPECIFICALLY AND WHERE WE ARE WITH THAT.
8 WE DO KNOW, AND IT IS OF SOME NOTE, MR. SALADINO, THAT MR.
9 DROOYAN, OUR FORMER C.C.J.V. COUNSEL, THEN HE BECAME THE
10 IMPLEMENTATION MONITOR AND WENT INTO A CLOAK OF SECRECY AS TO
11 WHAT HE WAS MAKING AND NOW HE IS A ROSAS MONITOR FOR A COURT
12 SO KUDOS ON FACILITATING THAT. THAT'S REALLY A GOOD WAY TO
13 KEEP THAT GUY IN THE LOOP. I'M NOT SURE IT'S IN THE PUBLIC'S
14 INTEREST BECAUSE OF COURSE HE IS VERY CLOSE TO THAT. H.B.R.
15 CONSULTING IS A GROUP THAT LOOKS AT THE LEGAL COSTS IN THE
16 COUNTY OUTSIDE OF THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. WE WOULD LIKE TO
17 SEE THAT, TOO, IN REGARD TO THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC RECORD ACT.
18 THERE WAS ALSO A CASE AND I HAVE TO REFER TO IT THAT THE
19 COUNTY FOUGHT ON APPEAL TO SEQUESTER ALL LEGAL BILLINGS.
20 SUPERVISOR SOLIS, I DIRECT THIS TO YOUR DISTRICT BECAUSE IN
21 PART MOLINA WAS A LEADER THERE. AND IN SEPTEMBER, WE WERE
22 SUPPOSED TO GET THE COST OF LITIGATION INCLUDING THE SHERIFF'S
23 NUMBERS AND EVERYTHING. SHE WAS VERY ADAMANT IT HAS TO COME IN
24 SEPTEMBER. WE ARE NOW FACING AS YOU KNOW FEBRUARY AND IT IS
25 STILL NOT PROVIDED. THE C.E.O. WHO TELLS THE TRUTH KNOWS THE

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1 REASON. IT'S BECAUSE IT'S LOG JAMMED IN COUNTY COUNSEL. SO I
2 DO THINK WE SHOULD MOVE THAT FORWARD. IN TERMS OF THE
3 SCANNERS, IF I COULD BE GIVEN AN EXTRA 10 SECONDS, I WOULD
4 LIKE TO, NO? YOU DON'T NEED ANYMORE HELP?

5

6 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** NO, NO, YOU'RE ENOUGH. MR. SACHS?

7

8 **ARNOLD SACHS:** YES, THANK YOU, GOOD AFTERNOON, ARNOLD SACHS AND
9 SOMEWHAT FASCINATING. IT'S INTERESTING FOR ME, ACTUALLY TO
10 KNOW THAT THE NEW SHERIFF AS THE CHIEF OF POLICE IN LONG
11 BEACH, I WONDER IF HE WAS INVOLVED IN THE CONTRACT
12 NEGOTIATIONS, BECAUSE PART OF THE PROBLEM, I BELIEVE, IS THAT
13 THE SHERIFF HAS OVERSIGHT OF THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, BUT HE
14 HAS NO OVERSIGHT OF THE CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS WHICH OCCURS
15 WITH THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. AND SO YOU BECOME LIKE A THIRD
16 WHEEL THERE. AND HE HAS TO DEAL WITH THE SILVER SERVICE
17 PROTECTION, THE SHERIFF'S BILL OF RIGHTS, AND THOSE SORT OF
18 THINGS. BUT WHAT WAS REALLY INTERESTING WAS THE YOUNG WOMAN
19 WHO JUST SPOKE TALKING ABOUT HOW PERSONNEL RECORDS BECOME
20 INACCESSIBLE. AND I AM PRETTY DARN SURE THAT SUPERVISOR MOLINA
21 HAD THAT PROBLEM WITH THE SHERIFF WHO WAS PUT BACK ON THE
22 FIELD, PUT BACK IN THE FIELD AFTER HE HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN
23 SEVEN SHOOTINGS. AND ONE OF HER MAJOR CONCERNS WAS THAT SHE
24 COULDN'T GET THE INFORMATION FROM COUNTY COUNSEL. AND ONE OF
25 HER MAJOR, MAJOR CONCERNS WAS IF SHE COULDN'T GET THE

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1 INFORMATION FROM COUNTY COUNSEL, THEN WHAT WOULD HAPPEN WITH
2 THE OFFICE OF AN INSPECTOR GENERAL MAX HUNTSMAN? AND IT TURNS
3 OUT THEY CAN'T GET THE INFORMATION. IT'S EXACTLY WHAT SHE
4 SAID. SO IN THE 7 OR 8 MONTHS THAT THIS HAPPENED, WHAT HAS
5 CHANGED? EXCEPT THE FACT THAT YOU CHANGED THE ORDINANCE FOR
6 THE -- YOU GOT RID OF THE OFFICE OF INDEPENDENT REVIEW AND YOU
7 PUT THE OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL AND YOU CREATED SOME
8 SALARY INFORMATION. BUT YOU DIDN'T ADDRESS THE FACT ABOUT THE
9 PERSONNEL RECORDS. SO YOU'RE STILL IN THE SAME BOAT AND IT
10 DOESN'T MATTER WHO YOU PUT IN THERE, YOU'RE STILL IN THE
11 EXACTLY SAME PLACE. BY THE WAY, MISS SOLIS, YOU WENT ON A TOUR
12 OF THE JAILS. BEEN ON A TOUR OF THE BLUE LINE YET? STILL
13 WAITING TO GO. SO, WHAT HAPPENS THERE? WELL, YOU KNOW, THAT'S
14 PART OF IT BECAUSE, YOU KNOW, THAT GRAFFITI, THE BROKEN WINDOW
15 SYSTEM YOU HEAR ABOUT WITH SHERIFFS AND POLICING, THAT'S PART
16 OF THE SYSTEM. THAT'S PART OF THE PROBLEM. AND SO CHECK THAT
17 OUT. ANY TIME YOU'D LIKE TO GO, MISS SOLIS. TOUR.

18

19 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE BY
20 SUPERVISOR KNABE. SECONDED. WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED. AND
21 WE WILL NOW GO INTO ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

22

23 **SUP. SOLIS:** THANK YOU. I MOVE THAT WE ADJOURN TODAY IN MEMORY
24 OF ARTHUR ICHIRO MURIKAMI. MR. MURIKAMI WAS BORN DECEMBER 23,
25 1929 IN LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA. PASSED AWAY ON JANUARY 14TH AT

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1 THE AGE OF 85. HE SERVED IN UNITED STATES ARMY AND RELOCATED
2 TO LOS ANGELES IN 1947 AFTER THE KOREAN WAR. HE EARNED AN
3 ASSOCIATES DEGREE FROM LOS ANGELES CITY COLLEGE AND WORKED IN
4 THE RETAIL GROCERY INDUSTRY FOR OVER 40 YEARS. HE WAS TRAINED
5 JAPANESE KENDO SWORDSMAN AND SERVED AS THE PRESIDENT OF THE
6 ALL UNITED STATES KENDO FEDERATION AND AS VICE PRESIDENT OF
7 THE KENDO FEDERATION. HE HAS ALSO VOLUNTEER INSTRUCTOR AT EAST
8 L.A. COLLEGE, AND INDUSTRY SHERIFF'S YOUTH ACTIVITIES LEAGUE
9 AND WAS HONORED AT NISEI PIONEER IN THE 2012 NISEI WEEK PARADE
10 FOR BEING AN ACTIVE AND DEDICATED COMMUNITY MEMBER. HE'S WELL
11 REMEMBERED BY MANY AND WELL RESPECTED BY MOST. HE IS SURVIVED
12 BY HIS WIFE, LENA, DAUGHTER JULIA, SON TIM AND THREE
13 GRANDCHILDREN, BRITTANY, TIMOTHY AND BETHANY AND FOUR GREAT
14 GRANDCHILDREN AND A HOST OF EXTENDED FAMILY MEMBERS WHO MISS
15 HIM DEARLY. I MOVE THAT WE ADJOURN IN HIS MEMORY. MY SECOND
16 MOTION, I MOVE THAT WE ADJOURN TODAY IN MEMORY OF BOB BAKER.
17 BOB BAKER, ALONG WITH HIS PARTNER, ALTON WOOD FOUNDED THE BOB
18 BAKER MARIONETTE THEATER IN 1963, WHICH HAS GONE ON TO BECOME
19 THE OLDEST PUPPET THEATER IN THE UNITED STATES. IN JUNE 2009,
20 THE THEATER WAS DESIGNATED AS A LOS ANGELES HISTORICAL
21 CULTURAL MONUMENT, AN INNOVATIVE ARTISAN PUPPET MASTER. BOB
22 AND HIS COMPANY HAVE PERFORMED PUPPETS AROUND THE GLOBE. HIS
23 MARIONETTES HAVE ENTERTAINED THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN AND ADULTS
24 WORLDWIDE OVER THE YEARS. BOB BAKER WHO ENTERTAINED
25 GENERATIONS OF ANGELINOS AT HIS PUPPET THEATER DIED LAST YEAR

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1 IN NOVEMBER AT THE AGE OF 90 FROM KIDNEY FAILURE. HE'S
2 SURVIVED BY FRIENDS AND LOVED ONES. HE'S HAD DEVOTED EMPLOYEES
3 OVER THE YEARS AND HIS HAND-CRAFTED MARIONETTES. LET'S
4 REMEMBER BOB BAKER AND HIS LIFE'S WORK. THANK YOU.

5

6 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SECOND WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.
7 SECOND DISTRICT, SUPERVISOR MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS.

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9 **SUP. RIDLEY-THOMAS:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MR. MAYOR AND
10 COLLEAGUES. WOULD YOU PLEASE JOIN ME IN ADJOURNING IN MEMORY
11 OF SYLVIA RENEE BANTON WHO PASSED AWAY ON JANUARY 6TH WHO GREW
12 UP IN CARSON. AT THE AGE OF 20, SHE ENLISTED IN THE UNITED
13 STATES AIR FORCE. WHILE STATIONED IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, SHE WORKED
14 AS AN ACCOUNTANT AND OBTAINED THE RANK OF SERGEANT. SHE EARNED
15 HER BACHELOR'S DEGREE FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND
16 AFTER SERVING SEVERAL YEARS IN THE MILITARY, SHE WAS HONORABLY
17 DISCHARGED AND RETURNED TO LOS ANGELES WHERE SHE EXPERIENCED
18 HARDSHIP, HOMELESSNESS AND ADDICTION. IN 2003 SHE ENTERED THE
19 NEW DIRECTION FOR VETERANS WOMEN'S PROGRAM. AND IN 2004 SHE
20 WAS HIRED BY NEW DIRECTIONS AND WORKED IN ACCOUNTS PAYABLE
21 WHILE SHE EARNED A MASTER'S DEGREE IN FAMILY THERAPY FROM THE
22 ANTIOCH UNIVERSITY. IN 2010, SHE WAS APPOINTED AS SUPERVISOR
23 FOR THE NEW DIRECTIONS, AND IN 2011, SHE WAS RECOGNIZED BY THE
24 LOS ANGELES MAGAZINE AS ONE OF THE 50 WOMEN MAKING A
25 DIFFERENCE IN THE COMMUNITY. MRS. BANTON LED A SUCCESSFUL

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1 RECOVERY FROM HARDSHIP AS A FEMALE VETERAN. SHE'S HAD PERSONAL
2 KNOWLEDGE OF ISSUES CONFRONTING WOMEN, MANY WOMEN WHO, IN
3 FACT, WERE IN OUR VETERANS. SO IN 2012, HER LIFE WAS SHOW-
4 CASED IN A 24-MINUTE FILM "HER WAR." WHICH BROADCASTED ON
5 PUBLIC TELEVISION AS WELL AS STAGE AS A STAGE PLAY TITLED "A
6 GUIDE TO THE AFTERMATH." SHE LEAVES BEHIND A LEGACY OF WOMEN
7 VETERANS WHO CHANGED THEIR LIVES BEYOND DIFFICULT MEASURE.
8 MRS. BANTON IS SURVIVED BY MANY FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WHO
9 WILL INDEED MISS HER DEARLY. MR. MAYOR AND COLLEAGUES, WOULD
10 YOU JOIN ME IN ADJOURNING IN MEMORY OF STERLING SINCORPS. BORN
11 DECEMBER 23, 1922 AND PASSED ON JANUARY 10 AT THE AGE OF 92.
12 AT A YOUNG AGE. HE WAS PROVIDER FOR HIS FAMILY AND WORKED
13 THREE JOBS. IN 1986 HE RELOCATED TO LOS ANGELES WITH HIS WIFE
14 AND CHILDREN. HIS CAREER WAS IN EDUCATION AND WORKED AT THE
15 NEW ORLEANS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM, LOYOLA UNIVERSITY IN NEW
16 ORLEANS AND AT THE COMPTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT HERE. WHILE
17 AT LOYOLA UNIVERSITY HE DEVELOPED THE SPECIALIZED COLLEGE
18 ORIENTATION FOR PERSONAL EDUCATION KNOWN AS SCOPE. HE ALSO
19 HELPED DEVELOP AT THE UNIVERSITY'S FIRST PARTNERSHIP ABROAD
20 WITH PUERTO RICO. HE WAS THE FIRST AFRICAN-AMERICAN
21 ADMINISTRATOR HIRED AT LOYOLA UNIVERSITY AND HIS TENURE
22 IMPACTED THE INTEGRATION OF THAT UNIVERSITY. HE TRAVELED TO
23 OTHER JESUIT INSTITUTIONS TO SUPPORT INTEGRATION INITIATIVES
24 ON THOSE RESPECTIVE CAMPUSES. AFTER MOVING TO LOS ANGELES, HIS
25 AMBITION WAS TO WORK THE MOST ACADEMICALLY AT-RISK STUDENTS IN

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1 THE COMPTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND HIS HARD WORK WAS
2 RECOGNIZED WHEN HE WAS AWARDED TEACHER OF THE YEAR OF THE
3 DOMINGUEZ HIGH SCHOOL. MR. SINCORPS ALSO WORKED AS A MEMBER OF
4 THE STEWARD COMMITTEE OF THE HOLMAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH.
5 HE WILL BE REMEMBERED FOR HIS STRONG COMMITMENT TO SERVE AND
6 CARE FOR HIS FAMILY, HIS STUDENTS AND OTHERS. HE IS SURVIVED
7 BY HIS WIFE, VERA, THREE CHILDREN, STERLING, JR., LYDIA WHO IS
8 A C.E.O. OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILY COLLABORATIVE, AND
9 VERDEALIA, THE GRANDDAUGHTER CARTER AND MANY OTHER FAMILY
10 MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WHO WILL INDEED MISS HIM. HAZEL ISAIAH
11 RAMSON. MR. MAYOR AND COLLEAGUES, BORN FEBRUARY 19, 1928 IN
12 JONES, OKLAHOMA. SHE PASSED AWAY ON JANUARY THE 14TH AT THE
13 AGE OF 87. SHE WAS AN ENTREPRENEUR IN SEVERAL AREAS, INCLUDING
14 THAT OF REAL ESTATE. SHE WAS ALSO A MEMORIAL COUNSELOR OF THE
15 INGLEWOOD CEMETERY AND HELPED MANY FAMILIES THROUGH THEIR TIME
16 OF GRIEF. SHE WORKED WITH THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN
17 FOR OVER 40 YEARS. AND SHE WILL BE REMEMBERED FOR HER
18 DEDICATION TO THE COMMUNITY. AND MISS RAMSOM IS SURVIVED BY
19 HER DAUGHTER, ANITA, HER GRANDCHILDREN AARON AND SIMONE, MANY
20 FRIENDS AND FAMILY WHO WILL MISS HER. HAZEL ISAIAH RAMSON.
21 AND, FINALLY, MYRTLE FAY RUMP. BORN FEBRUARY 21, 1931 IN THE
22 GREAT STATE OF TEXAS AND PASSED ON JANUARY THE 7TH AT THE AGE
23 OF 83. IN THE 1950S SHE MOVED TO THE CITY OF INGLEWOOD WITH
24 HER HUSBAND. IN 1989, HER 35-YEAR-OLD SON WAS KILLED BY A
25 DRIVE-BY SHOOTING WHICH CHANGED HER LIFE FOREVER. HIS DEATH

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1 INSPIRED HER TO OPEN A CENTER IN 1990 SHE FORMED, WITH THE
2 HELP OF MANY MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY, FRIENDS KNOWN AS THE AL
3 WOOTEN, JR. HERITAGE CENTER. THE YOUTH CENTER WAS A SAFE HAVEN
4 FOR YOUTH AND PROVIDED A PLACE FOR PARENTS TO STEER CHILDREN
5 IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION. PROVIDE THE CHILDREN WITH CONSTRUCTIVE
6 ALTERNATIVES TO ADVERSE BEHAVIOR AND TO STOP THE VIOLENCE. SHE
7 RETIRED AS PRESIDENT OF THE CENTER AFTER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE
8 IN 1992 AFTER THE CIVIL UNREST. AL WOOTEN, JR. HERITAGE CENTER
9 WAS FEATURED IN SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES INCLUDING THE
10 "LOS ANGELES TIMES" IN WHICH SHE WAS DECLARED A HOME TOWN
11 HERO. PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA NAMED HER AS ONE OF THE 13TH
12 RECIPIENTS OF THE ANNUAL PRESIDENTIAL CITIZENS MEDAL. MRS.
13 RUMP WILL BE REMEMBERED FOR HER TENACITY, HER LOVE, HER
14 DEVOTION TO CHILDREN AT THE CENTER AND THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE.
15 SHE IS SURVIVED BY TWO CHILDREN, BARBARA AND THE REVEREND
16 ARTHUR WOOTEN, GRANDCHILDREN, GREAT GRANDCHILDREN, HER SISTER
17 PERLINE AND HER BROTHER JAMES. AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE
18 COMMUNITY WHO WILL MISS HER AND CHERISH HER MEMORY FOREVER.
19 MYRTLE FAY RUMP, MR. MAYOR AND COLLEAGUES.

20

21 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** SECOND WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.
22 SUPERVISOR KUEHL?

23

24 **SUP. KUEHL:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR AND COLLEAGUES. I MOVE THAT
25 WHEN WE ADJOURN TODAY, WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF BRIAN KUTIL, AN

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1 OCEAN LIFEGUARD SPECIALIST, 20-YEAR LIFEGUARD VETERAN AT THE
2 COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

3

4 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** DO ALL MEMBERS ON THAT.

5

6 **SUP. KUEHL:** ALL MEMBERS ON THIS, PLEASE. WHO RECENTLY PASSED
7 AWAY AT THE YOUNG AGE OF 42. HE HAD BEEN PARTICIPATING IN THE
8 DEPARTMENT'S ANNUAL 500-METER RE-CERTIFICATION SWIM EXERCISE
9 AT MIRA COSTA HIGH SCHOOL IN MANHATTAN BEACH WHEN IT BECAME
10 CLEAR HE WAS IN DEEP DISTRESS. HE WAS IMMEDIATELY TREATED BY
11 HIS FELLOW COUNTY LIFEGUARDS ALONG WITH MANHATTAN BEACH FIRE
12 DEPARTMENT PARAMEDICS, TRANSPORTED TO LITTLE COMPANY OF MARY
13 HOSPITAL WHERE, DESPITE HEROIC EFFORTS BY ALL INVOLVED, HE WAS
14 PRONOUNCED DEAD. COLLEAGUES REMEMBER HIM WELL AS A GENEROUS,
15 HAPPY-GO-LUCKY GUY AS THEY DESCRIBED HIM. CERTAINLY A PRO.
16 PARTICIPATED IN SAVING SO MANY OF OUR LIVES AND KEEPING US
17 SAFE. AND HIS DEATH MAY BE THE FIRST ON-DUTY LOSS OF LIFE
18 AMONG THE LIFEGUARD CORPS IN COUNTY HISTORY. HE'S SURVIVED BY
19 FAMILY MEMBERS AND HIS MANY FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES IN THE
20 COUNTY FAMILY. AND MR. MAYOR AND COLLEAGUES, I MOVE THAT WHEN
21 WE ADJOURN TODAY, WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF ROBERT IRMAS. A
22 LIFETIME LOS ANGELES RESIDENT OF THE THIRD DISTRICT RECENTLY
23 PASSED AWAY AT THE AGE OF 63 AFTER A COURAGEOUS BATTLE WITH
24 CANCER. GRADUATE OF BEVERLY HILLS HIGH SCHOOL, HE JOINED THE
25 L.A. COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT FOLLOWING HIS FRESHMAN YEAR

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1 IN COLLEGE. EVENTUALLY SPENDING EIGHT YEARS THERE. AFTER
2 GRADUATING FROM PEPPERDINE IN 1976, HE WENT ON TO EARN A
3 MASTER'S IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE FROM CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY AND A
4 JURIS DOCTOR FROM SOUTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL. IN ADDITION TO
5 SERVING IN THE L.A. COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT, HIS CAREER IN
6 LAW ENFORCEMENT ALSO INCLUDED TIME AS A DEPUTY DISTRICT
7 ATTORNEY IN VENTURA COUNTY WHERE HE WAS ALSO A CANDIDATE FOR
8 SHERIFF AND SERVED AS A SHERIFF'S RESERVE DEPUTY. HE
9 SUBSEQUENTLY TURNED HIS CAREER ATTENTION TO COMMERCIAL REAL
10 ESTATE, BUT IN HIS PRIVATE LIFE HE PURSUED EXTENSIVE
11 PHILANTHROPIC ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING THE SUCCESSFUL
12 CONSTRUCTION FOR 3,000 SQUARE FOOT YOUTH ACTIVITY CENTER AT
13 THE LENNOX SHERIFF'S STATION. HE SERVED AS BOARD CHAIRMAN AND
14 EMERITUS MEMBER OF L.A. FAMILY HOUSING, ON THE BOARDS OF LEGAL
15 SERVICES AND THE AFRICA FOUNDATION AND CONTRIBUTED TO
16 ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDED NEEDED MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THOSE
17 RETURNING FROM MILITARY SERVICE. HE'S SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE
18 MICHELLE, HIS FOUR CHILDREN, JARED, DANIEL, SAM AND SARAH, TWO
19 SIBLINGS, MATTHEW AND DEBRA, SEVERAL OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS. I
20 ASK THAT WE ADJOURN IN HIS MEMORY. SECOND, WITHOUT OBJECTION,
21 SO ORDERED. SUPERVISOR KNABE?

22

23 **SUP. KNABE:** YES, MR. CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS. I, TOO, YOU ALREADY
24 ADDED ALL MEMBERS, BUT BRIAN WAS JUST AN OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF
25 OUR COUNTY LIFEGUARD FAMILY AND TEAM, SERVING OVER 20 YEARS,

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1 AS SUPERVISOR KUEHL MENTIONED. HE WAS VERY ACTIVE THROUGHOUT
2 THE GROUP AND DOING NOT ONLY THINGS ON THE BEACH AND SAVING
3 MULTIPLE LIVES AND BEING PART OF OUR RESCUE BOAT OPERATION BUT
4 ALSO MANY OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES INCLUDING THE JUNIOR LIFEGUARD
5 PROGRAM. HE'S GOING TO BE SORELY MISSED BY ALL WHO KNEW HIM
6 AND WORKED WITH HIM. AND, AGAIN, OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE
7 WITH HIS MOM AND DAD AND THE ENTIRE FAMILY AND OUR LIFEGUARD
8 FAMILY. ALSO WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF FRAN MINERD, LONGTIME
9 WHITTIER RESIDENT, VOLUNTEER, PHILANTHROPIST, PASSED AWAY LAST
10 WEEK AT THE AGE OF 30. BORN HERE IN 1929 LOS ANGELES COUNTY
11 AND SPENT TIME IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY AIR FORCE AS A
12 NAVIGATOR DURING WORLD WAR II. BECAME AN EXPERT IN THE STEEL
13 INDUSTRY IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. HE WAS VERY INVOLVED IN THE
14 FRIENDS OF LIBRARY WHERE HE WAS A MANAGER FOR OVER 15 YEARS.
15 HE WAS KNOWN AS A MAN WITH A BIG HEART, A STRONG SENSE OF
16 COMMUNITY. HE WAS A DEVOTED FAMILY MAN WHO WAS DEDICATED TO
17 SERVING OTHERS. HE LIKED NOTHING MORE THAN GIVING HIS TIME TO
18 MAKE THE COMMUNITY A BETTER PLACE. HE IS SURVIVED BY HIS DEAR
19 WIFE AND DEAR FRIENDS SELMA FOR 25 YEARS. SONS STEVEN, TIM,
20 AND TRACY, 11 GRANDCHILDREN AND 14 GREAT GRANDCHILDREN.
21 THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH SELMA AND THE ENTIRE FAMILY.
22 ALSO JOINING IN WITH SUPERVISOR SOLIS ON THE ADJOURNMENT IN
23 MEMORY OF THE ARTHUR MURIKAMI WHO WAS THE FATHER OF OUR
24 INDUSTRY SHERIFF'S STATION, CAPTAIN TIM MURIKAMI. ALSO THAT WE
25 ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF [NATHAN] "LITZO" DISTEFANO. HE PASSED

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1 AWAY AT THE AGE OF 94 ON JANUARY 12TH. HE WAS A VERY PATRIOTIC
2 MAN WHO SERVED IN WORLD WAR II WHERE HE MET HIS WIFE JANET.
3 THEY WERE MARRIED FOR 66 YEARS. PROUD SICILIAN WHO LOVED
4 PLAYING HIS MANDOLINS AND WAS A VERY ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE SONS
5 OF ITALY. HE WAS ALSO AN AVID GOLFER AND A LONG TIME MEMBER OF
6 THE LAKEWOOD COUNTRY CLUB A COUNTY COURSE AND HE IS SURVIVED
7 BY HIS TWO SONS TONY AND LEONARD, TWO DAUGHTERS, NINE
8 GRANDCHILDREN AND EIGHT GREAT GRANDCHILDREN. TRULY MISSED.
9 THOSE ARE MY ADJOURNMENTS, MR. MAYOR. SECOND.

10

11 **SUP. KNABE:** I DO HAVE AN URGENCY READ. WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO
12 ORDERED.

13

14 **SUP. KNABE:** THANK YOU, MR. MAYOR. I DO HAVE AN URGENCY READ-
15 IN. I WOULD LIKE TO MOVE URGENCY. AND THAT IS AS WAS
16 MENTIONED, OCEAN LIFEGUARD SPECIALIST BRIAN KUTIL DIED IN THE
17 LINE OF DUTY DURING A TRAINING EXERCISE. IN ORDER TO
18 ACCOMMODATE THE DEPARTMENT FLAG CEREMONY AND MEMORIAL
19 SERVICES, IT IS APPROPRIATE FOR THE BOARD IN THIS CIRCUMSTANCE
20 TO TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTION: MOVING THAT WE WAIVE THE PARKING
21 FEES FOR 100 VEHICLES AT THE FISHERMAN'S VILLAGE PARKING LOT
22 FROM 8 A.M. UNTIL NOON ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 22ND. WAIVE
23 PARKING FEES FOR APPROXIMATELY 400 VEHICLES AT THE DOCKWEILER
24 YOUTH CENTER AT VISTA DEL MAR IN LOS ANGELES FROM 8 UNTIL 2 TO
25 INCLUDE THE ADJACENT GRAND AVENUE LOT FOR OVERFLOW PARKING IF

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1 NECESSARY. WAIVE FEES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$220 FOR THE USE OF THE
2 MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM AT DOCKWEILER YOUTH CENTER ON SATURDAY,
3 JANUARY 24TH FROM 8 UNTIL NOON FOR FAMILY MEMBERS AND GUESTS
4 DURING THESE MEMORIAL SERVICES ON THE BEACH.

5

6 **MARK SALADINO, COUNSEL:** MOVE URGENCY. SUPERVISOR KUEHL I -- I
7 MOVE URGENCY.

8

9 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MOTION BY SUPERVISOR KNABE, SECONDED
10 BY SUPERVISOR SUPERVISOR KUEHL. WITHOUT OBJECTION, SO ORDERED.
11 I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO MOVE WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF TRAVIS
12 MARTON SANTA CLARITA VALLEY WHO TRAGICALLY PASSED AWAY AT THE
13 AGE OF 23. HE WAS A RECENT GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
14 CALIFORNIA SANTA CRUZ IN BIOENGINEERING DEGREE AND WORKED AT
15 THERMAL SCIENTIFIC AS A RESEARCH ASSOCIATE. SHARON ENOS,
16 RETIRED DISPATCHER FROM THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S
17 DEPARTMENT. RICHARD WARCHOL, LONGTIME RESIDENT OF SANTA
18 CLARITA VALLEY. SERVED AS A MILITARY POLICE OFFICER IN THE
19 UNITED STATES ARMY. WORKED FOR 36 YEARS AS A CRAFTSMAN FOR
20 GENERAL MILLS. HE PASSED AWAY IF HE AGE OF 88. CLIFFORD RAY
21 ROWLEY, LONGTIME RESIDENT OF LANCASTER, PASSED AWAY AT THE AGE
22 OF 76. HE WAS EMPLOYED WITH THE ACTON SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR OVER
23 20 YEARS. GERALDINE VIDOVICH PASSED AWAY AT THE AGE OF 87. A
24 DOCTOR WAS A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION
25 AND ACTIVE WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA'S

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1 PHARMACY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ALONG WITH HER CHURCH, MARY STAR
2 OF THE SEA AND OUR LADY OF CHARITY NATIONAL CATHOLIC ALUMNI
3 CLUB. AND ANELIS NICK MOSICH, LONG TIME PROFESSOR AT THE
4 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTING, PASSED
5 AWAY AT THE AGE OF 86. AFTER HE SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES
6 ARMY AFTER EARNING HIS DOCTORATE DEGREE UNTIL HE WAS HONORABLY
7 DISCHARGED IN 1955. HE THEN SPENT NEARLY 30 YEARS TEACHING AT
8 THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, WELL RESPECTED AS A
9 CONSULTANT, EXPERT WITNESS, AND WAS AUTHOR, CO-AUTHOR OF
10 SEVERAL ACCOUNTING TEXTBOOKS. MY ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS, SECONDED
11 BY SUPERVISOR KUEHL. SO ORDERED. AND WE HAVE PUBLIC COMMENT.
12 CALL UP MR. ROBERT LUCAS? MISS IRENE PANG. MR. HERMAN HERMAN.
13 MR. ARNOLD SACHS. AND THEN THEY WILL BE FOLLOWED BY MR. PREVEN
14 AND MR. SERRANO.

15

16 **ROBERT LUCAS:** GOOD AFTERNOON. YOUR SHIRT REMINDS ME OF LIME
17 SHERBET. MAN IT JUST MAKES ME HAPPY.

18

19 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** IT MATCHES MY SOCKS.

20

21 **ROBERT LUCAS:** YOU KNOW, I MISSED OUT BY TALKING ABOUT THE S-1
22 BECAUSE I DIDN'T PROCESS THE QUESTIONNAIRE RIGHT IN THE
23 EXECUTIVE OFFICE. LET ME GIVE YOU A LITTLE HINDSIGHT HERE
24 BECAUSE I LISTENED. I WAS IMPRESSED BY THE SHERIFF'S
25 PRESENTATION. THAT WAS IMPRESSIVE. HE OWES WHOEVER PREPARED

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1 THAT FOR HIM A GOOD LUNCH BECAUSE I WAS IMPRESSED. IT WAS
2 AMAZING. THE THING ABOUT IT WAS: THE OTHER CUSTODY PERSON, THE
3 WOMAN, I'M SURE SHE'S A SHERIFF, SHE MISSED A COUPLE OF THINGS
4 IN HER PRESENTATION. NOT ONCE IN THE CAMERA POWERPOINT
5 PRESENTATION WAS N.C.C.F. GIVEN CAMERAS. LET ME TELL YOU A
6 LITTLE BIT OF MY PERSONAL EXPERIENCE. WHENEVER THEY HAD AN
7 INCIDENT AT THE MAIN COUNTY JAIL, THAT GOT OUT OF HAND. THEY
8 CORRALLED WHATEVER THE PROBLEM WAS, WHATEVER THE DISTURBANCE
9 WAS AND THEY SHIPPED THEM TO N.C.C.F. GO UP TO THE N.C.C.F.
10 FACILITY. WALK AROUND IN THEM PODS. YOU WANT TO SEE WHAT A
11 TREACHEROUS SITUATION IS? THEY DON'T ENTER TO RELIEVE A
12 SITUATION. THEY STAND OUTSIDE AND FIRE WEAPONS IN THERE. I'VE
13 BEEN A PART OF IT. I HAVE SCARS FROM IT. I'M NOT SAYING THAT
14 SHE WITHHELD THIS INFORMATION. I'M JUST SAYING SHE WASN'T
15 GIVEN EVERYTHING THAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN TO BE GIVEN TO YOU
16 PEOPLE. WITH THESE SCANNERS, THE SCANNERS, REALLY? LET ME
17 FOCUS YOU A LITTLE BIT ON WHERE THE PROBLEM IS. IT'S NOT
18 PEOPLE COMING IN AND OFF THE STREETS, IT'S THROUGH THE
19 PROBATION WITH THIS FLASH NONSENSE. YOU DON'T THINK THAT THEY
20 DON'T PLAN TO GO IN THERE WITH A 10-DAY FLASH WITH A PURPOSE?
21 COME ON. WE'RE DEALING WITH PEOPLE WHO WERE THREATENED ON THE
22 STREET UNLESS YOU DO THIS. THAT'S HOW THEY'RE GETTING IN
23 THERE. DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE PEOPLE COMING IN GETTING ARRESTED
24 BECAUSE BELIEVE IT OR NOT, THEIR LIVES ARE GETTING SAVED WHEN

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1 THEY GET ARRESTED. WORRY ABOUT THE PLANNED PEOPLE TAKING IT IN
2 THERE.

3

4 **ERIC PREVEN:** YES, IT'S ERIC PREVEN AND I'LL PICK UP BRIEFLY
5 ABOUT THE SCANNERS BECAUSE IT'S WHERE I WAS TERMINATED EARLIER
6 IN MY COMMENTS. IT'S ERIC PREVEN, THE COUNTY RESIDENT FROM
7 DISTRICT 3 AND CANDIDATE FOR THE CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 2. SO
8 THOSE SCANNERS, SIR, I'VE TESTED THEM OUT MYSELF. I WENT OVER
9 THERE, NOT AS AN INMATE OR PROSPECTIVE INMATE, AS A COUNTY
10 WATCHDOG. AND I LOOKED AT THEM. AND THEY SLIDE PEOPLE THROUGH
11 SIDEWAYS. THEY ARE NOT ESPECIALLY EFFICIENT, TO BE HONEST. AND
12 THEY ARE SEVERELY PROBLEMATIC. AND I WOULD LOOK VERY CLOSELY
13 AT NOT EXPANDING USE OF THEM. IF THERE ARE SOME APPLICATIONS
14 THAT MAKE A LOT OF SENSE, WE SHOULD CONSIDER IT. BUT THEY BOG
15 THINGS DOWN. THEY'RE NOT IDEAL FOR A NUMBER OF REASONS. AND
16 THEN IT JUMPS TO THE QUESTION OF THE CAMERAS ON THE WALLS. I
17 THINK WE'VE ADDRESSED THE BLIND SPOT, WHICH IS VERY, VERY
18 IMPORTANT. BUT THE REAL TURN THERE HAS TO DO WITH THE OFFICER-
19 WORN LAPEL CAMERAS, WHICH IS THE STATE-OF-THE-ART AND SHOULD
20 BE IMPLEMENTED. AND OUR REACTION, UNFORTUNATELY, TO THIS
21 PROCESS WAS TO DO A 600-PAGE REPORT THAT WAS INCREDIBLY
22 THOROUGH, SO THOROUGH THAT YOU COULDN'T ACTUALLY SEE WHAT THE
23 CONCLUSION WAS. THE CONCLUSION WAS LET'S NOT DO IT. BUT THE
24 RIGHT RESPONSE IS LET'S SERIOUSLY CONSIDER DOING IT BECAUSE
25 IT'S CHEAPER, BETTER AND MAKES A LOT MORE SENSE. AND THEN

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1 THERE'S THE MATTER OF THE CASE INVOLVING LEGAL BILLS. AND I
2 DID REFERENCE IT EARLIER. AND I THINK THAT THIS IS SO
3 IMPORTANT. THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THEY
4 ARE THE CLIENT IN THIS CASE. AND THAT THE PRIVILEGE TO THEIR
5 ATTORNEYS TO SEQUESTER LEGAL BILLS IS A BIG MISTAKE. IT'S A
6 TERRIBLE MISTAKE. WE OUGHT TO SHOW HOW WE'RE FIGHTING THESE
7 BILLS AND DEFEND HONORABLE BEHAVIOR AND -- LESS HONORABLE
8 BEHAVIOR SHOULD NOT BE DEFENDED WITH NO CEILING ON EXPENSE.
9 THAT'S JUST NOT APPROPRIATE. AND IN CONCLUSION, I THINK IT'S
10 VERY NICE THAT SOMEBODY PUT UP A REWARD TODAY TO CATCH
11 SOMEBODY FOR \$10,000. WE OUGHT TO DO THAT WHERE NECESSARY. WE
12 SHOULD FIND A POLICY THAT APPLIES TO ALL CRIMES BECAUSE ACROSS
13 THE STREET THEY'RE DOING SUCH HIGH REWARDS THAT IT DOESN'T
14 SEEM RELEVANT. WE HAVE OF MORE SERIOUS [INAUDIBLE]

15

16 **IRENE PANG:** I'M IRENE. I CONCERNED ABOUT IN THE COUNTY FOR
17 THIS DAY SAN FRANCISCO AND SEATTLE AND ORANGE COUNTRY HAVING
18 CAUGHT UP IN THE ECONOMIC SYSTEM AND SET IN THE OTHER
19 GOVERNMENT MATTERS SAME AS THE UNITED STATES BECAUSE MANY
20 HUMAN BEINGS SUFFER FROM REVELATION OF THE STUDENT OF THEIR
21 PERSONAL PROPERTY. ESPECIALLY THEIR FINANCIAL. AND THEIR REAL
22 PROPERTY. MY FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE ASSOCIATION WORKING HARD
23 AND WELL TOGETHER WITH L.A. COUNTY GOVERNMENT THAT DIRECTLY
24 AFFECT THE L.A. COUNTY GOVERNMENT GIVE THEM TORNADO. THEN
25 AFTER MANY PERIOD THEY INVESTIGATE AND THEIR PLAN IS TIED TO

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1 L.A. COUNTY SUPERVISOR AND THE POSITION BEGAN WITH THAT TIE
2 BEGAN IN JANUARY. IN 2015. AND THE PUBLIC KNOW THAT THEN
3 SUPERVISOR END UP PAYING THE WORKING HARD AND THE ABILITY.
4 HONEST AND HER FAMILY MEMBER AND EXCELLENCE THE SITUATION SHOW
5 ON THE STATUE OF A U.S. TREASURE. WE AND U.S. CITIZEN WARN
6 U.S. THAT DEFENSE WELL AND THEIR OWN NATIONAL AUTHORITY POWER.
7 AND ALL IS THE SYSTEMS WE NEED THEY ARE FAITHFUL AND WORKING
8 HARD AND EXCELLENCE MATTERS TO PROTECT THE NATION U.S. OUR
9 NATION HAD TO PUNISH THOSE PATIENTS THEY HAVE BEEN DONE TO UM
10 REVELATION TO THEIR WORKING HARD STAFF AND PROTECT.

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12 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** [SPEAKING CHINESE]. MR. SERRANO?

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14 **DAVID SERRANO:** GOD IS THE FATHER AND THE SON AND THE HOLY
15 SPIRIT, THE HOLY TRINITY IS THE ONE AND ONLY GOD. THE HOLY
16 TRINITY IS THE CREATOR OF HEAVEN AND THE UNIVERSE. REALITY IS
17 THE LORD JESUS CHRIST CREATED HEAVEN AND THE UNIVERSE, AMEN.
18 THERE WILL BE A BLOOD MOON LUNAR ECLIPSE ON APRIL 4, 2015 A.D.
19 AND THEN THERE WILL BE A SECOND BLOOD MOON ON SEPTEMBER 28,
20 2015, ANNO DOMINI. LIKE IT IS RECORDED IN THE HOLY BIBLE IN
21 THE BOOK OF REVELATION, THE HOLY INFINITE TRINITY PROPHESED
22 THERE WILL BE A GREAT EARTHQUAKE ON THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
23 SAN ANDREAS FAULT THAT DEVASTATES REGIONS OF LOS ANGELES
24 COUNTY AS A BIG STORM WITH THUNDER AND LIGHTENING DARKENS THE
25 SKY IN THIS YEAR THAT THE MOON WILL BE TURNED THE COLOR BLOOD

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1 RED AND THE HORIZONTAL DISPLACEMENT WILL CAUSE THE MOUNTAINS
2 AND ISLANDS TO BE MOVED OUT OF PLACE. LOS ANGELES IS THE CITY
3 OF ANGELS. ONE OF THE THINGS REVELATION 10:1-5 IS ABOUT IS HOW
4 THE PACIFIC AND NORTH AMERICAN TECTONIC PLATES COME INTO
5 CONTACT AT THE SAN ANDREAS FAULT IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY, THE
6 PACIFIC PLATE IS ALMOST ENTIRELY UNDER THE PACIFIC OCEAN AND
7 THE NORTH AMERICAN PLATE INCLUDES THE REST OF CONTINENTAL
8 NORTH AMERICA. SOME OF THE EVENTS REVELATION 6:12-6:17
9 PROPHESED IS THAT THE MOON WILL BE TURNED THE COLOR BLOOD
10 RED, A GREAT STORM WILL DARKEN THE SKY, AND LIKE IT IS WRITTEN
11 IN JEREMIAH CHAPTER 24. THE JEWS ARE CALLED FIGS AND THE GREAT
12 EARTHQUAKE IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY WILL CAUSE HORIZONTAL
13 DISPLACEMENT ON THE SAN ANDREAS FAULT AND THE MOUNTAINS AND
14 ISLANDS WILL BE MOVED OUT OF PLACE, AMEN, HALLELUJAH, PRAISE
15 THE LORD. REALLY QUICKLY JUST TO TALK ABOUT 1857 MAGNITUDE 7.9
16 EVENT BROKE AND RUPTURED MORE THAN 225 MILES OF THE FAULT FROM
17 PARKFIELD, CENTRAL CALIFORNIA WITH HORIZONTAL DISMENT.

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19 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THANK YOU.

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21 **DAVID SERRANO:** PRAISE THE LORD, HALLELUJAH.

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23 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** I WOULD ALSO STATE IF YOU'RE GOING TO
24 QUOTE THE BIBLE, QUOTE IT CORRECTLY. LOS ANGELES COUNTY IS NOT
25 MENTIONED IN THE BIBLE AS ARE THE PLATES. IT'S NOT IN THE BOOK

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1 OF REVELATION. SO DON'T BE A FALSE PROPHET, OKAY? MR. HERMAN
2 HERMAN.

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4 **HERMAN HERMAN:** OKAY. SO THEN WE'RE TALKING ABOUT HERE
5 LAWMAKERS.

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7 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** AND JOSHUA JOSHUA.

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9 **HERMAN HERMAN:** U.S. SUPREME COURT SAID THAT THE GOVERNMENT
10 SHOULD NOT REFRAIN YOUR CONSTITUENTS FROM CENSORING IN ADVANCE
11 WHEN IT COMES TO OR PROHIBITING SPEAKERS FROM AGENDA ITEMS
12 LIKE YOU DID WITH MYSELF UNDER ITEM 1-S. BUT FROM REFERENCING
13 A SPECIFIC POINT, IT'S ALL ABOUT SPEECH. CENSORING OUR RIGHT
14 TO BE HEARD. AND I CAME UP WITH THIS VERY IDEAL POINT, THAT
15 LOCAL GOVERNMENT -- AND IT'S THE DEFINITION, GOVERNMENT
16 CORRUPTION -- HAS BEEN DEFINED AS ABUSE OF PUBLIC POWER FOR
17 PRIVATE AND PERSONAL GAIN. AS YOU LAUGH AT THESE POOR FOLKS
18 THAT STOOD HERE, I COULDN'T BELIEVE THAT YOU'RE LAUGHING IN
19 THEIR FACE AND MAKING LITTLE JOKES ABOUT THEIR MENTAL EXCUSES.
20 NO ONE SHOULD BE SUBJECTED TO MENTAL ABUSE LIKE THAT FROM
21 ANYONE. LET THEM HAVE THEIR POINT AND SAY, SUCH AS I DO TODAY.
22 AND FURTHER POINT, YOU TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SERVICES. YOU STEAL
23 FUNDS OUTRIGHT LIKE YOU DO HERE AND ARNOLD SACHS WILL POINT
24 OUT AND THEY MAY ALSO USE THEIR POSITIONS TO GAIN FAVORS
25 UNFAIRLY LIKE JOSE HUIZAR, THIS IS FROM THE CITY OF L.A. NOW.

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1 I CAN'T SAY NOTHING NEGATIVELY HERE BECAUSE SO FAR YOU'VE ALL
2 DONE A COMMENDABLE JOB OTHER THAN MR. RILEY WHO BUILT A GARAGE
3 INTO A HOME. GARAGE CONVERSION I DID NOT FORGET. AND USING
4 PUBLIC FUNDS. SO THE VICIOUS CYCLE RESULTS TO GOVERNMENT
5 RAISING TAXES TO MAKE UP FOR SUCH LOSSES, IN TURN TO MORE
6 CORRUPTION. KEEP YOUR SIX SECONDS. THANK YOU.
7 HOLLYWOODHIGHLAND.ORG, JOHN WALSH.

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9 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** MR. SACHS?

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11 **ARNOLD SACHS:** THANK YOU, GOOD AFTERNOON. ARNOLD SACHS. AND A
12 COUPLE WEEKS AUTO AGO, I DID MENTION THE TIFIA PROGRAM THAT
13 METRO RUNS. I WAS ACTUALLY WRONG. I AM HERE TO ADMIT I WAS
14 WRONG. THAT THE 3 PERCENT LOCAL RETURN WITH THAT PROGRAM IT
15 NOT ONLY INCLUDE TIFIA PROGRAM, IT'S LIKE THIS MEASURE 1-B
16 PROPOSITION FUND, THEY MAY NOT GET THAT FROM METRO PROJECT BUT
17 THEY ARE GETTING STATE FUNDS. SO THE THREE PROJECTS THAT TOTAL
18 \$4 BILLION, THEY'RE GETTING 3 PERCENT OF ALMOST A TOTAL OF \$4
19 BILLION. AND IF YOU LOOKED AT THE PROJECTIONS FOR MEASURE R
20 FUNDING, THAT THE METRO BOARD DECIDED ON, IT WAS \$1.3 BILLION
21 A YEAR THAT THEY WERE PROJECTING IT TO RAISE. IF YOU LOOKED AT
22 THE 2007-2008 BUDGET REPORTS, THEY WERE MAKING ABOUT \$750,000
23 -- \$750 MILLION. LESS THAN HALF OF WHAT THEY PROJECTED FOR
24 2009. SO HERE'S A QUESTION FOR YOU. THERE'S A HIGH SPEED RAIL
25 BEING INTRODUCED IN CALIFORNIA. DO THEY HAVE THE SAME KIND OF

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1 PROJECT SCOPE WHERE IT'S 3 PERCENT OF HIGH SPEED RAIL MONEY
2 GOING BEING CHARGED TO THE COMMUNITIES? AND IF NOT, WHY NOT?
3 IF METRO CAN SEE FIT TO CHARGE 3 PERCENT ON FEDERAL AND STATE
4 FUNDS INSTEAD OF DEDUCTING THEM FROM THE COST, WHY DOESN'T THE
5 STATE DO THE SAME THING? DO WE HAVE ANY ELECTED STATE
6 REPRESENTATIVES WHO USED TO BE THERE? WHY YES, YOU WERE THERE,
7 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, YOU USED TO BE THERE. YOU WERE THERE. HOW
8 DOES THAT WORK? HOW ARE THEY ALLOWED TO BE SUCH CHEAP CROOKS
9 ON METRO AND GET AWAY WITH IT? DON'T YOU FEEL RESPONSIBLE TO
10 YOUR CONSTITUENTS TO ASK THOSE QUESTIONS? I'D LIKE TO TALK A
11 LITTLE BIT ABOUT THE HERBICIDE AND THE GRAFFITI ABATEMENT BUT
12 THAT MAKES MR. KNABE UPSET. I'LL SAVE IT FOR NEXT WEEK.

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14 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** YES, SIR.

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16 **MR. JOSHUA:** I'M PRESENTING TO YOU UNDER MY PEN NAME TODAY OF
17 MR. JOSHUA AND PARTLY DISGUISED BECAUSE OF ALL THE
18 RETALIATIONS I'VE BEEN SUBJECTED TO FROM L.A. COUNTY EMPLOYEES
19 FOR BLOWING THE WHISTLE ON A CORRUPTION IN THE L.A. COUNTY.
20 THE TITLE OF MY LITTLE SHORT PRESENTATION HERE IS BLACK LIVES
21 DO NOT MATTER TO THIRD REICH NAZIS AND THEIR HOUSE NEGRO
22 POLITICIANS. GEORGE BUSH'S OBAMA IS STEVE COOLEY'S JACKIE
23 LACEY. I PUBLISHED A REPORT, OR REPORT WAS PUBLISHED ON THE
24 INTERNET RADIO SHOW FOR THE JUSTICE CHANNEL ABOUT THE LOS
25 ANGELES COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE CAMPAIGN ABOUT TWO

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1 YEARS AGO. YOU CAN HEAR THIS INTERNET RADIO SHOW AT THE
2 JUSTICE CHANNEL ON BLOG TALK RADIO. THAT ADDRESS IS
3 WWW.BLOGTALK RALDIO.COM/ELM. LOOK FOR THE TITLE CANDIDATES FOR
4 DISTRICT ATTORNEY TOWN HALL COMMENTARY. I'VE ALSO PUBLISHED AN
5 ARTICLE TO THE JUSTICE CHANNEL BLOG ABOUT THIS AT THE JUSTICE
6 CHANNEL.BLOGSPOT.COM. IN 2014, IT APPEARS THAT JACKIE LACEY IS
7 FOLLOWING THE RACIST LEGACY OF STEVE COOLEY. SHE STILL HAS NOT
8 TRIED TO FILE ANY CHARGES AGAINST L.A. COUNTY SHERIFF'S
9 DEPUTIES. SHE HAS DONE NOTHING FOR THE MURDER OF EASLE FORD BY
10 HISPANIC L.A.P.D. PIG. AND THE WOMAN IN THE CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY
11 PATROL BEATING CASE. ALL OF THESE WERE VERY HIGH PROFILE
12 CASES. SOME OF THE BIGGEST SELLOUT PLANTATION HOUSE NEGROES
13 ARE THE ONES WHO WORK IN OUR COURTS, PRACTICE LAW, AND SITTING
14 JUDGES. THEY KNOW THE LAW AND JUST LIKE THE SUPREME COURT
15 JUDICIAL HOUSE NIGGER CLARENCE THOMAS REFUSES TO ENFORCE THE
16 LAW FOR THE AMERICAN NEGRO THEY WILL NOT SPEAK OUT FOR
17 ATROCITIES THAT'S BEING PERPETRATED AGAINST THE AMERICAN NEGRO
18 IN THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM AS WELL AS ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT
19 AGENCIES.

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21 **SUP. ANTONOVICH, MAYOR:** THANK YOU, MR. JOSHUA.

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23 **LORAYNE LINGAT, DPTY. EXEC. OFCR.:** IN ACCORDANCE WITH BROWN
24 ACT REQUIREMENTS, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOARD OF
25 SUPERVISORS WILL CONVENE IN CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS ITEM NO.

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1 CS-1, CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL REGARDING SIGNIFICANT
2 EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION AND ITEM NO. CS-2 CONFERENCE WITH LABOR
3 NEGOTIATORS SACHI HAMAI AND DESIGNATED STAFF AS INDICATED ON
4 THE POSTED AGENDA. THANK YOU.

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